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Oakland and vicinity: Tonight and Saturday fair, light northeasterly winds.
RAINFALL
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Last 24 hours..... .50
Season to date..... 12.40
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Two Eastbay Women Beaten By Thugs; Crime Wave Grows

MATRON IS SLUGGED WITH GUN WHEN SHE REFUSES TO GIVE BANDITS JEWELS

Mrs. Anita Thompson Is Bound and Gagged by Robbers She Resists; Alameda Girl Held Up, Attacked

WAR ON CRIMINALS IS BEGUN

Spurred into immediate activity by the addition of two brutal attacks on women of the Eastbay cities within the last twenty-four hours to the steadily increasing list of crimes, every agency of the law charged with the preservation of peace and safety commenced in deadly earnest actual operations today in the campaign of relentless warfare against criminals of all types.

Convinced by the constantly increasing number of offenses that the predicted crime wave has now actually inundated this territory, and in the belief that the threatened tide of outlawry can be stemmed only by employing drastic methods to hold it in check, the authorities are prepared to resort to extreme tactics if necessary in coping with the situation.

Spurred into immediate activity by the addition of brutal attacks on two women, a gun battle between bandits attempting to rob the Chevrolet Motor Car Company's plant, the operations of a fire-bug and a second burglary attempt in two days at a Berkeley residence, all within the last twenty-four hour period, every agency of the law in the Eastbay communities began in deadly earnest today actual operations in the campaign of warfare against criminals of all types.

Forced at the point of revolvers by daylight burglars to turn over $250 in cash, brutally beaten over the head with the butt of a pistol when she refused to give them jewels and other valuables and then gagged and securely bound to a chair, Mrs Anita Thompson of 315 Twenty-first street is in a serious condition today in the care of physicians as the result of her experience late yesterday with two masked and armed bandits who broke into her home.

Threatened with death if she made an outcry, Mrs. Thompson was compelled to yield to the bandit's demands and give them the contents of a cash box, and when she refused to unlock a closet containing jewels and family heirlooms, one of the marauders struck her viciously over the head with his gun.

Dazed by the blow, Mrs. Thompson, who is 30 years old and the wife of a San Francisco bank clerk, leaned against the wall and was about to collapse to the floor when the two burglars roughly seized her, stuffed a towel in her mouth for a gag, and then, dragging her downstairs, thrust her in a chair near a window in the living rom and bound her with pieces of rope.

EFFORT TO OUTWIT TWO BANDITS FAILS

Gathering up a few trinkets on the living room table, the bandits fled out of the back door and left Mrs. Thompson tied to her chair. There she remained for nearly three hours until she succeeded in attracting passers-by, who came to her rescue.

Attracted by strange noises on the first floor of the house, Mrs. Thompson hurried downstairs in the middle of the afternoon to encounter two men masked with black stockings seated on chairs in the living room. Confronting her with their pistols, the men demanded money and jewelry, and threatened to shoot if she did not instantly comply with their commands.

At first Mrs. Thompson sought to outwit the burglars and told them that she had no money of any consequence in the house.

"Don't tell us that," replied one of the bandits, "I've seen you around the banks lots of time depositing big sums. Come on now, come through in a hurry or we'll have to treat you rough."

REFUSAL TO OPEN DOOR BRINGS ATTACK

Leading the way upstairs while the bandits brandished their revolvers and kept her covered, Mrs Thompson entered a bedroom and produced a small cash box and emptied it into one of the bandit's hat.

"Where's your jewelry?" demanded one of the men. "We're going to get everything that's coming to us."

Mrs. Thompson replied that she did not have any jewelry, and one of the thugs thrust his gun menacingly in her face and seized her roughly by the shoulder and shook her. At the same time the other burglar spied a closed door and found it locked. They both then demanded Mrs. Thompson to open the closet, and when she refused one of the burglars struck her a vicious blow over the head.

Half dazed, Mrs. Thompson was carried downstairs and placed in an armchair and bound. Regaining consciousness she tried in vain for three hours to attract the attention of pedestrians. Finally two young girls saw the woman's predicament and summoned some electric linemen working nearby.

When unbound Mrs. Thompson was in a highly hysterical condition and was immediately ordered to bed.

Mrs. Thompson furnished the police with a complete description of the bandits. One of them was apparently nearly 60 years old, she said.

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Beaten by Thugs
MRS. ANITA THOMPSON, who was stricken down and gagged by two bandits to whom she refused to give her jewels.

Watchman Fires On Burglars at Chevrolet Plant

Bandits Flee in Automobile When Interrupted; One Believed Wounded.

Interrupted by the order of "Hands up!" while attempting to rob the offices of the Chevrolet Motor Car company's plant, Seventy-third avenue and Foothill boulevard, two bandits defied the command, opened fire on Joseph Wilson, night watchman of the plant, and amid a hail of bullets fired after them escaped in a waiting automobile.

Shortly after midnight while on his rounds the watchman heard strange sounds and investigated. Drawing his gun and extinguishing his electric flashlight, Wilson crept to the edge of a building and peered around. Two men with a crowbar were trying to force an entrance to the building through a door.

Covering them with his gun Wilson commanded "Hands up!" and advanced. Instead of heeding the command, they flung the bar aside, drew revolvers and fired at Wilson. The watchman returned fire as the burglars fled.

Wilson said that he saw one of the fugitives stagger as he reached the car. His companion pulled him aboard the machine.

Smallpox Epidemic Raids East Chicago

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

CHICAGO, Dec. 31. — Twelve thousand people in East Chicago, a district adjoining the southern limits of Chicago, are under quarantine because of an epidemic of smallpox and health authorities are considering the quarantine of all East Chicago and Hammond, Ind Should a general quarantine be placed in effect many of the huge steel plants in the district would be compelled to shut down. Nearly 100 cases of smallpox were reported today in East Chicago and Hammond.

The epidemic is attributed to the incorrect diagnosis of a case of chickenpox. The victim was permitted to go about unmolested.

Adjt.-Gen., U. S. A., Held for Contempt

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

WASHINGTON, Dec 31.—Major General Peter C. Harris, adjutant general of the army, was sentenced today to ten days in jail by Justice Siddons of the District of Columbia Supreme Court for contempt

General Harris was adjudged in contempt because of his refusal to obey an order of Justice Siddons to exhibit an affidavit filed in the War Department under the selective service act. The general noted an appeal and was saved from going to jail by a provision of law allowing government officials when sued officially to prosecute officials without the formality of a bond.

Mining Claim Bill Signed by Wilson

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—President Wilson today signed a bill providing for an extension of the time in which improvements on mining claims must be made.

The bill provides that improvements, required by law to be made in 1920, may be made at any time up until July, 1921.

Had the President not signed the bill all claims on which the improvements had not been made would have been vacated at midnight tonight.

KRUVOSKY SENTENCED TO QUENTIN

Judge Ward Recommends That Gangster Be Made to Serve His Term of 50 Years Along With Pal Murphy

Court Refuses to Admit in Evidence Affidavits Assailing Character of the Girls Mistreated in Vice Shack

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Edward (K. O.) Kruvosky, Howard street gangster, today was sentenced by Superior Judge Louis H. Ward to from one to fifty years in San Quentin following Kruvosky's conviction of having been one of several men who brutally mistreated Miss Jean Stanley and Miss Jessie Montgomery in a house in Howard street, on Thanksgiving morning. The defendant was granted a five-day stay of execution Notice of an appeal was filed by Kruvosky's attorney.

In imposing sentence the court made the recommendation to the prison board officials that Kruvosky be given the 50-year maximum sentence, this being the same recommendation that accompanied the imposition of sentence of Edmund (Spud) Murphy, now beginning his sentence in San Quentin prison.

JUDGE WARD SCORES AFFIDAVIT SIGNER

The sentence was imposed upon Kruvosky after the latter's attorney, E. Lomasney, had made a spirited but futile battle to obtain a new trial for his client, and after Judge Ward had declined to accept three affidavits which were submitted by Lomasney and which were designed to attack the character, reputation and credibility of the Stanley girl.

In announcing he would not permit the three affidavits to be accepted by the court, Judge Ward scathingly denounced the contents of an affidavit signed by a Mrs. Ida Churma, now in the San Francisco hospital, and declared that the signer of the affidavit could be prosecuted for libel and slander, even if what her affidavit says is true.

Before concluding his argument on the motion for a new trial, Lomasney, with dramatic upraised hand, said:

"Before all these cases have been disposed of in the court I am positive that your honor will not only grant a new trial for Kruvosky, but also for poor Spud Murphy, now in San Quentin prison."

CHARACTER OF GIRL ASSAILED BY PAIR

Lomasney submitted two affidavits signed respectively by Ludwig J. Aschman, 67 Crocker street, and his wife Frieda The court would not accept these affidavits in the form in which they were submitted, but ordered that they be incorporated in the official report of the court reporter's transcript. These affidavits both stated that the affiants had known Jean Stanley as Jeanette Warden, and that she had resided in the Aschman home early last September, while the girl was working in a nearby laundry.

Judge Ward declared he did not object to this portion of the affidavit, but that he did oppose the incorporation of matter which he contended merely assailed the reputation of the Stanley girl without in any way affecting her status as one of the important witnesses against the gangsters. The affidavit of Mrs. Churma was designated by Assistant District Attorney Stanislaus Riley and Judge Ward as "vile, scurrilous and libelous."

FIFTY YEAR "JOLT" IS GIVEN FRESNO GANGSTER

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS
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FRESNO, Dec. 31.—J. W. (Jinks) Emmick, alleged leader of the Fresno gangsters, was today committed by Superior Judge McCormick to San Quentin State Prison to an indeterminate sentence of from one to 50 years as provided by the statutes. Emmick took his sentence with no emotional display beyond a nervousness shown throughout his appearance in court No relative or close friend was in the courtroom.

Emmick pleaded guilty to a grand jury indictment charging assault on Bonnie Owens, a 15-year-old Fresno saleslady, in a local department store. He will be taken to San Quentin tomorrow or Sunday. Frank Silva and Charles Mutchler are also under grand jury indictment here for the same offense. Both pleaded not guilty and will stand trial January 11 and 12.

S. F. Dance Hall Workers Storm Office of Roche

Girls Invade Police Commissioner's Rooms to Appeal for Their Jobs.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 31.—Denied admittance to a meeting of the Women's Vigilance Committee in the Phelan building today, more than one hundred girls representing more than five hundred "attendants" at San Francisco dance halls, shortly after noon today swarmed into the law offices of Police Commissioner Theodore J Roche and quietly, but nevertheless firmly, insisted they be given a hearing before the dance halls are closed tonight

After listening to their appeal, Roche said he would seek to have the Vigilance Committee agree to postponing the closing of the dance halls until Monday, and this afternoon arrange for a special conference between the Police Commission and representatives of the Vigilance committee

INVASION OF OFFICE BY GIRLS IS QUIET

The invasion of Roche's office was quiet and undemonstrative, but obviously determined.

Under a recent order of the police commission, San Francisco's dance halls are scheduled to close tonight as a direct outgrowth of aroused public sentiment following disclosures at the trial of the Howard street gangsters

Yesterday the girls participated in a meeting of the Woman's Vigilance Committee and pleaded that the matter be thoroughly investigated before the dance halls are closed, thereby throwing out of employment more than 500 employees, many of them having dependents

DENIED ENTRY, THEY APPEAL TO ROCHE

Today the girls again sent to present their case before the Vigilance Committee in the Phelan building were denied admittance. They decided to appeal to Roche.

Roche was absent from his office when they entered, but when he returned he found the corridor of his offices, the receiving room and the library banked with girls.

Roche went to the Vigilance Committee meeting, leaving the girls waiting.

Up to a late hour Roche had not reported anything definite, but promised he would continue his efforts

British Hand Seen in Land Act Acceptance

BY UNITED PRESS
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LONDON, Dec 31 — British foreign office officials today expressed greatest interest in reports from Washington that Britain had advised Japan not to press opposition to the California alien land law.

While they denied there had been any official action in London, it was assumed that some high diplomatic officers may have suggested to Japan [illegible]

Disarmament Parley Believed Wilson Plan

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
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WASHINGTON, Dec 31 —An official hint today that the future may see "an important development in the international relations of the government" gave rise this afternoon to reports that President Wilson is considering the calling of an international conference on disarmament as one of the closing acts of his administration which has only two more months to live

Cardinal Gibbons Has Restless Night

BY UNITED PRESS
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BALTIMORE, Md., Dec. 31.—The condition of Cardinal Gibbons was reported as unfavorable today. The [illegible] spent a very restless night [illegible] weak.

DANGER SEEN TO PROGRAM OF ECONOMY

Plans for Giving the State a Business Administration Is Menaced by Division of the Forces to "Sand Machine"

Three Different Proposals to Divide Workers for Efficiency Expected; Question of Taxes Promises Battle

By AD B. SCHUSTER

TRIBUNE BUREAU, SACRAMENTO, Dec 31.—Plans for giving California a business administration by the elimination of unnecessary boards and offices and by the centralization of duties into fewer departments are today facing a double menace One is the division of forces into three groups, each of which has little faith in the ability or purposes of the others, and the other is the suspicion that there is an underground combination at work to see that conflicting reports are presented and to make it easier to pigeon-hole and forget the entire idea.

There will be three separate reports or bills suggesting or outlining reorganization plans In the make-up of all three the men who framed the Boynton recommendations for efficiency and economy have been ignored. Advice has been sought far afield, while the men who have been most active in the interests of applying something like the "Illinois idea" to California have been left to twiddle their thumbs.

JUDGE NOURSE PREPARES GOVERNOR'S IDEAS

Associate Justice John T. Nourse of San Francisco is at work on a plan designed to effect savings in administration. He has not announced its details, but it is said to the one favored by Governor Stephens and to constitute the "surprise" that the governor is said to have up his sleeve. The suggestion that Judge Nourse do this work and many of the suggested details are said to have come direct from Martin Madsen, secretary to the governor.

The second plan is that of the Taxpayers' Association of California, an outline to be presented by Will H Fisher, who will have a bill or some bills, to reorganize state government. His ideas are said to be somewhat different from the Boynton board's, but many are said to meet with favor by members of that body and by others who have bee working to the same end.

The third report will be that of Senator Lyman M King of Redlands, chairman of the holdover committee on revenue and taxation, appointed at the last session to make a full investigation of the situation. The full committee has never met, but two members have met twice and nothing, as yet, has been done Three of the four members will be back at this session and will get together the first week and it is promised that King will have a report ready for presentation He has been in communication with state officials here in the past few days and seems desirous of taking the lead in the fight for economies.

The point of it is that the Taxpayers' Association is not satisfied that the suggestions of Madsen are going to be of value and that they do not believe King's report will be comprehensive There are some who go so far as to say that the Madsen report is of the nature of a wrench in the gearing and that its effect will be to confuse the issue

BOYNTON PLAN IS LEFT TO SLEEP

It is pointed out in this connection that the Boynton report, ordered by the governor and supported openly by everyone in administration circles resulted in nothing except the creation of the Department of Agriculture and that its general outline of centralization was tucked quietly away for a long sleep. Why, it is being asked, if there is any serious intent to carry out a similar plan, are the men who framed it left outside the present considerations?

"I feel that we have taken an important step forward," said the governor when the Boynton report was handed in, "and that a definite plan of reorganization acceptable to the people either has now been suggested by the Committee on Economy and Efficiency or that such a plan will be evolved from their earnest and praiseworthy efforts." This was on March 19, two years ago

The Board of Equalization and Board of Control have been taking another fling at the budget and have it now at $93,000,000, a figure at which it is expected to stay.

I am informed on reliable authority that if the legislature seeks to impose an additional tax on public utilities, the utilities are prepared to take recourse with the courts and that the whole financial situation before the legislators will be thrown into chaos. This is a startling statement, but it comes from high and there are some facts to back its authority

UTILITY COMPANIES PREPARE FOR FIGHT

For some time Prof. Carl E Plehn of Berkeley, former expert adviser for the Board of Equalization, has been gathering data in behalf of the utility companies to show that they are already being taxed more than general property. These figures will be here when the fight opens and the men to expound them. On the other side L. E. Collins of Redding, member of the Board of Equalization, is now in the San Joaquin Valley examining real estate values and collecting facts to show that the utilities taxes are not proportionate to the general taxes This investigation will cover several weeks and may be carried on into January and February. The arrangements are being stacked for a rare battle, and the big guns are in the field.

J A Pettis of Mendocino county, Republican assembly floor leader, is an early arrival. Most of his time is being spent in close confab with members of the Board of Equalization

Business Crisis Over, Say Eastern Bankers

Oakland bank clearings have broken all records in 1920 by more than $100,000,000.

The figures, as announced by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce today from the weekly report furnished by the Oakland clearing house, show that the clearings at last have passed the half billion mark, the total for the year being $560,264,995.

And those figures do not include today's business. Furthermore, the figures show an increase of $100,681,660 from the total for the entire year of 1919, for which the figures were $459,583,335.

Also, December, 1920, set a new record for clearings, reaching the total of $55,681,392, exclusive of today's business. This is nearly $12,000,000 more than December, 1919.

For the week ending today, the clearings showed an increase of $1,852,882 from the same week last year, the figures for 1920 being $9,753,858.97, as compared with $7,900,976.64 for 1919.

As compared with last week, the clearings show a falling off of $466,164.09, but that was Christmas week, with the late shopper rushing in his business at the eleventh hour.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—The bank clearings for today were $24,200,000; for the week, $123,300,000; for the month, $664,100,000; for the year, $8,122,064,916.94.

By FLOYD MACGRIFF.
International News Service Staff Correspondent.
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NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Leading New York bankers, whose business extends into all parts of the country, declared in exclusive statements to the International News Service today that a sound basis was being created for more stable and healthful business during the year 1921. The consensus of opinion was:

That deflation, in loosening the speculative grip on many basic commodities, had brought a sounder and more normal condition into the nation's business life

That credit will be more flexible in 1921

That employers, wage earners and merchants must share alike in cuts for their commodities and services

BUSINESS CRISIS OVER SAY LEADING BANKERS

That the business crisis, precipitated by retrenchments has been passed.

"Those who were most closely studying the existing situation think the peak of declining prices and deflation is very near," said Charles H. Sabin, president of the Guaranty Trust Company, a concern with resources of $800,000,000. "Although there are many readjustments from the effects of war yet to be made in the months and years to come, they believe there is a reasonable assurance of a return to normal business conditions, stabilized prices, easier money and larger business opportunities.

"Fortunately for this country its underlying conditions, for the most part, are sound. Our large gold reserve, our sound financial situation, our tremendous crops, our national wealth and accumulated surplus, our improved transportation and industrial conditions, our foreign markets and our great natural resources, all underlie the business situation and give promise of a prosperity and progress greater than any experienced in the past.

AMERICAN BANKS ABLE TO MEET ALL CALLS.

"The present readjustments have extended throughout the world and have affected business conditions generally. In facing this period of liquidation, deflation and reconstruction, however, it should be a source of particular congratulation to the people that American financial institutions on the whole are on a sound basis and amply prepared to meet both the problems the situation raises and the opportunities that are certain to follow. The manner in which our banking system has responded to the needs of American business in the trying year just ended is a cause for gratification. Banking credit was expanded to meet the needs as they developed.

"Formerly such sweeping industrial changes as were witnessed in 1920 culminated in acute financial disturbances followed by prolonged business depression. In this instance [illegible] largely due to elasticity of credit provided by the federal reserve system and to their foresight in accumulating ample reserves, have maintained their essential strength and capacity for business"

"By the combination of clear thinking, hard working and courageous acting, I believe that greater rewards will come to this nation, and that, in response to the combined call of duty and opportunity, service and profit, which the situation offers, there will follow constantly expanding powers of service which should mark the goal of every progressive people."

Tariff, Bonus Must Wait, Is Penrose's Word

Pennsylvania Senator Kills Hope of Action on Either Measure This Session.

By L. C. MARTIN,
United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania, chairman of the Senate finance committee, today virtually killed all hope of emergency tariff legislation or a soldier bonus bill at the present session of Congress

Penrose, who had just returned to Washington, said he believed the tariff and revenue situation should be carefully considered as a whole before any action was taken. The bonus bill, he added is so intimately linked with the revenue question that the two should be considered together

British, Russ Will Continue Trading

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
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MOSCOW via wireless to Berlin, Dec 31 Although the Soviet government has recalled Leonid Krassin, the Russian commercial envoy in London negotiations for the opening of trade relation between Russia and Great Britain have not been completely broken off it was announced today Krassin is to return to Moscow at once

Officials of the Bolshevik government declared that Russia was "tired of dickering without getting anywhere," although it still adhered to the Russo-British agreement of July 7

Sentence of Spy Is Approved by Wilson

WASHINGTON Dec 31.—President Wilson today approved a sentence of five years' imprisonment imposed by a court martial on Captain John A Wilkes, U S A, for desertion.

Wilkes when arrested in New York several weeks ago declared he had come to the United States in 1914 as one of a large number of German cadets who were to enter the United States army and act as spies

Wilkes will now stand trial on charges of embezzlement of company funds.

24-Hour Coast-to-Coast Flight Aimed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31.—A coast-to-coast flight, within the period of twenty-four hours, will be attempted by the United States army air service on Washington's Birthday, February 22, the War Department announced today.

De Valera Has Smuggled Self To Erin's Shore

Ireland's Head Sends Word to Friends in America; Lauds Our Land.

BY UNITED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

DUBLIN, Dec. 31.—The United States shipping board steamer Pontia leased by the Moore-McCormick line, was raided by British troops upon its arrival here today With armored cars lining the dock, their guns trained upon the vessel, troops conducted a thorough search of the vessel. It was rumored they were seeking Eamonn de Valera

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

NEW YORK, Dec. 31 —The mystery that for several weeks has surrounded the whereabouts of Eamon de Valera, president of the Irish republic, was cleared up here this afternoon when Harry Boland, his secretary, announced that de Valera is in Ireland. Boland stated he has received messages from de Valera since he reached Ireland

Boland declined to state how de Valera reached Ireland, under what circumstances he left America or how he had received a message that the Irish president arrived in Erin. But Boland gave out a farewell message from de Valera which had been left in Boland's hands for issuance upon receipt of word of his safety in Ireland. The message landed in the United States

U. S.-Brazil Cable Line Again Halted

HAVANA, Dec 31.—Another effort to establish a direct line of communication between the United States and Brazil was halted today when the Western Union Telegraph Company failed to lay a cable here

Western Union officials declined to discuss the matter and government officers refused to confirm reports that the work had been stopped at the request

The cable was to complete a line between the United States and Barbados with the Western Telegraph Company's telegraph at Rio de Janeiro

$1000 Cost for Inauguration Asked

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31 — Inaugural expense to be defrayed by the government would be limited to $1000 by a resolution to be introduced in the senate Monday by Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho. The expense of the last inauguration reached $70,000.

FLAT ORDER TO DISARM IS SENT BERLIN

England Bluntly Gives Order to German Envoy That No Delay Will Be Tolerated in Disbanding Civil Guard

Threats to Occupy Bavarian Districts Heard; France Is Ready to Join in Scheme to Reduce Army Program

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

LONDON, Dec. 31.—Great Britain's final demand for German disarmament was made today. It was presented to Herr St. Hamer, the German ambassador. He was summoned to the foreign office where formal communication was made by Earl Curzon, the foreign secretary.

It is reported in Berlin that the allies may occupy Bavaria as well as the Ruhr valley if Germany does not live up to the letter of the Spa disarmament agreement.

The German diplomat promised to rush a report to Berlin at once. The latest developments are accepted as virtual confirmation of earlier reports that Great Britain will sanction drastic action by France unless Germany disarms the "irregulars."

FRANCE READY TO REDUCE WEAPONS

PARIS, Dec. 31.—France will be glad to join in an international conference on disarmament when "German pockets have been emptied of concealed weapons," the French foreign office told the United States today.

France had halted her naval program, he declared, and begun reducing her military program when the German minister refused the allied demand that he disarm the Bavarian civil guard.

GERMANY DENIES "BIG STICK" TACTICS.

BERLIN, Dec. 31.—German government officially denied today that it had attempted to use a big stick in obtaining favorable reparations decisions.

The situation here was complicated by the appearance of a delegation of Ruhr coal miners demanding disarmament of the Bavarian guard on the grounds that its retention may cause a French invasion of the Basin.

Pleurisy May Silence Caruso's "Golden Voice"

Second Operation to Relieve Congestion About Lungs Induces Foreboding.

BY UNITED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Fear is expressed here today that the "golden voice' of Enrico Caruso may never again be heard on the operatic stage. Despite unofficial reports from his bedside that he was "better," following a second operation in connection with his serious illness with pleurisy, the feeling grew among his friends and admirers that the series of mishaps culminating in his present condition mark the beginning of a decline in the musical career of the most brilliant tenor the world has ever known.

It is practically certain now that Caruso cannot appear again at this season of the Metropolitan Grand opera.

No one but members of the family, the six attending physicians and the nursing staff has been permitted to see Caruso since his illness became admittedly serious this week. But his apartments in the Hotel Vanderbilt have been deluged with messages of condolence from all parts of the world and with great boquets of flowers, including some which represent the greatest self-denial by little groups of his worshippers in the poorer quarters of the Italian colony here.

Caruso himself, ever an optimist, has not at any time conceded the possibility of his permanent retirement from the stage, according to reports here from the sick room, and has constantly evinced the greatest cheerfulness despite the severe pain he has sometimes suffered.

BY INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Enrico Caruso was reported to have spent a "fairly comfortable night" and to be resting "more easily this morning." "He slept off and on," the nurse said today. There was some relief from pain following the second operation to drain pus from the pleural cavity, an incision being made after application of a local anaesthetic Dr Philip Horowitz stayed with the noted tenor throughout the night.

Navy Planes Start for Magdalena Bay

SAN DIEGO, Dec 31.—No word had been received up to 11 o'clock this morning at the North Island navy station from the 13 seaplanes that yesterday flew from San Diego to San Bartolome Bay. The planes that made the trip yesterday were scheduled to take the air early today on the second leg of the flight to the Canal Zone, the trip being from Magdalena Bay to San Bartolome Bay

Repairs to the NC-5, the plane that returned to San Diego after flying about 50 miles, were completed this morning. A fresh start is planned for tomorrow morning, when an attempt will be made to fly from San Bartolome Bay to Magdalena Bay. The NC-5, it is expected, will join the balance of the squadron Sunday morning.

OAKLAND WOMAN BEATEN AS SHE RESISTS THUGS

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and the other a man about 21. Both concealed their faces with crude masks fashioned from old stockings.

ALAMEDA GIRL HELD UP; PURSE AND $70 TAKEN

ALAMEDA, Dec. 31.—With only a meager description of the man to work on, police here continued their search today for an armed bandit who accosted Miss Adina de Bava, 18 years old, 1911 Stanford avenue, an employee of an Oakland realty company, as she stepped from a street car at Elm and Clement streets last night, forced her at the point of a revolver to walk several blocks to a lonely spot, where he gagged her and robbed her of her purse containing $70 and a diamond ring.

Suffering from hysteria resulting from her experience, Miss de Bava told an incoherent story of her attack to the police. A posse was formed of citizens and police and a general hunt for the thug was begun. He was still at large today.

ROBBER TWICE VISITS BERKELEY RESIDENCE

BERKELEY, Dec. 31.—Following the second report within a week that a man has made attempts to enter the home of Mrs. Alice Murden, 1120 Bancroft way, the Berkeley police are organizing a special patrol to protect residents of the western section of the city.

On two occasions between midnight and 2 o'clock this morning, a man attempted to gain entrance to her home, Mrs. Murden says. A similar attempt to gain entrance to her residence was reported by Mrs. Murden on the same night Mrs. S. F. Meek, 18-year-old bride, of 1141 Addison street, was brutally beaten by a fiend who invaded her home.

Urged by a delegation of Berkeley women to authorize the formation of a women's vigilance committee to assist in stamping out vice and fighting crime, the Berkeley city council today went on record as favoring the immediate organization of an association of representatives of women's clubs to co-operate with the police during the impending crisis.

ITALY EXPOSES ANOTHER PLOT

ROME, Dec. 31.—Discovery of a plot in Milan in which the Fascioti (extreme Nationalist party) and anarchists are alleged to have been preparing a joint attack on the Italian army operating against Fiume, is reported by the newspapers here today. Seventeen persons have been arrested in connection with the plot, newspapers say.

MAX AID SINN FEIN
By CAMILLO CIANFARRA,
United Press Staff Correspondent

ROME, Dec. 31.—Peace in Fiume today awaited only the signatures of Fiume authorities and representatives of the government. The agreement was to be signed at Abizzi.

Gabriele D'Annunzio's next act was awaited with interest but without trepidation on the part of government officials. It is believed he may bob up next as an "angel" for the Sinn Fein. He also has been offered asylum in South America and may go there. In any event it was believed he would take to his airplane for the departure, possibly going to Paris first.

REFUGE IN PARIS

PARIS, Dec. 31.—It was reported from an Italian source today that Gabriele d'Annunzio was attempting to make his way from Fiume to this city by airplane.

TRIEST, Dec. 31.—Establishment of the old national council of Fiume as a provisional government over the city is announced here.

Incendiary Suspected in Burning of Home

Suspicion that the fire which virtually destroyed the home of Edward A. Hayne, 3364 Arkansas street, was the work of incendiaries was expressed by the police today, following the discovery that the walls of the structure had been soaked with an oily substance.

The blaze broke out late last night during the absence of the Hayne family, and had gained considerable headway when it was discovered. An alarm was immediately turned in, but the entire upper section of the house was enveloped in flames by the time the Melrose fire department had arrived on the scene.

Police Inspectors Kyle and Trotter investigated the ruins and reported indications of a plot to destroy the residence. Insurance on the house was said to be $1000.

Defense Speeds Up Mrs. Clark's Trial

In order that the trial of Mrs. Virginia P. Clark, charged with the murder of her husband, Chester Clark, might be brought to a more speedy termination, Attorney C. A. A. McGee, defense counsel, announced today that he would not call to the stand Dr. W. N. Erdahl and Dr. C. A. Mullen of the Agnew hospital to testify regarding the mental condition of the defendant.

With two physciatrists—Dr. W. T. Adams and Dr. Harold Wright—on the witness stand at the same time, the defense today began the reading of the 164-page autobiography of Mrs. Clark. This is the second time the document has been read into the records—first time by the prosecution and now by the defense.

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From Californias Legislative Halls

Plans to Put U. C. and Schools Under New Unified Control To Be Proposed to Legislature

—By AD B. SCHUSTER—

TRIBUNE BUREAU, Sacramento, Dec. 31.—Plans for school changes which ask the entire reorganization of the state board of education, the retirement of the board of regents of the University of California, the making of state superintendent and county superintendents appointive positions, the abolition of present county boards, and a wiping out of twenty-three commissions and boards are included in the report of the special legislative committee appointed by the last legislature as made public today.

The report asks all of the changes as *summarized exclusively* in The TRIBUNE of last Tuesday and would go even further in its application to State University control. It contemplates the passage of ten years before it can become effective in all of its details and makes plain that while the state library, logically, should be under department of education control, that no such recommendation is made. In educational legislation it is the largest and most far reaching program ever proposed in this state and is most certain to be the subject of many extended debates.

CENTRALIZATION OF CONTROL IN EDUCATION PROPOSED.

The members of the committee who compiled the report are: Senator Herbert C. Jones, San Jose; Senator William J. Carr, Pasadena; Senator M. B. Harris, Fresno; Assemblyman Elizabeth Hughes, Oroville; Assemblyman Walter Eden, Santa Ana; Assemblyman N. J. Prendergast, San Francisco. The report is some thousands of words in length and would make a large sized book in itself.

In brief the committee takes cognizance of the fact that the expenditures for educational purposes form a greater part of the public expense, that increasing school attendance represents a problem that must be met, and that some system must be worked out to the end of centralizing the powers, removing duplication, and caring for the increased needs.

CREATION OF DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PROPOSED.

It asks the creation of a department of education, would provide for junior colleges in connection with the normal schools and others in connection with high schools at certain centers, and would let these colleges give work equivalent to the first two years at the university. A central school for teachers and for graduate work is asked for Berkeley, and state control of the educational work in the various penal and charitable institutions is asked. Of the University of California it says:

"This institution, unlike in most other states, is not included as a part of the public school system, but exists separate and apart. It has no legally conferred power to in any way control the public schools, though it has in the past exercised large control over the high schools. Conversely the public school authorities have no power to control any function of the university. The only *legal connection existing at present* between it and the public school system lies in that the superintendent of public instruction is ex-officio a member of the board of regents for the university.

UNIVERSITY TO COME UNDER NEW PLAN.

And the university is included in the list of those organizations for which a unified control should be established to the end that the present "double-headed" control should be remedied.

To put through this program two constitutional amendments and seven new or revised laws will be needed. They are:

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

"State superintendent of public instruction; abolition of the office. A rewording of article IX, section 2 of the state constitution.

"County superintendent of schools; change from election to appointment by a county board of education. A rewording of article IX, section 3 of the state constitution.

NEW LAWS, OR REVISION OF EXISTING LAWS.

"A county-unit law.

"A law for the gradual expansion of the normal schools of the state into teachers' colleges, under the control of the state board of education.

"A revision of the teachers' certification laws.

"Revision of the Junior College law (section 1750b, Political Code).

"Revision of the Apportionment law (sections 1532 and 1858 of the Political Code) for elementary school funds.

"Revision of the Apportionment law (sections 1760-1764 of the Political Code) for high school funds.

"Amendment of section 1859 of the Political Code to change the minimum term of school from six to eight months.

FIVE MAIN POINTS FOR CHANGE ENUMERATED.

The five main topics upon which the committee concentrated its attention after an explanation that it was without power to conduct an exhaustive survey and that it stipulated that ten years be allowed to carry out the recommendations were:

"The present state educational organization, and the need for certain changes that will give this state a sound, comprehensive and more modern and more effective state educational organization.

"The present form of combined district and county educational organization, the weak points in this organization, and the changes needed to produce an efficient, effective and economical administration of our town and rural schools and the educational business of our counties.

"The state's educational needs in teacher training, both before and after the teacher begins teaching, and the desirability of providing a more rational system for the certification of teachers in this state.

"The need for a better organization and administration of our secondary schools and a more general extension upward of the higher education provided by the state through the organization of a system of regional junior colleges, and their organization and control.

"Problems relating to the cost of education and the possibility of a further equalization of the advantages and the burdens of education without increasing materially the costs."

DETAILS OF PLAN OF REORGANIZATION GIVEN.

The reorganization plan, as stated by the committee and which would extend the control of the proposed department of education to the university, charitable, penal and reformatory institutions follows:

"The creation of a department of education in the state government which shall exercise, through an appointed state board of education, supervisory oversight and control over the entire system of public instruction supported by the state.

"The abolition of the elective office of superintendent of public instruction, which represents an earlier stage in our educational evolution, and the substitution therefor of an appointed commissioner of education, to be appointed by and responsible to the state board of education, and who shall act as the chief executive officer of the board and its representative before the people. The commissioner of education thus becomes somewhat analagous to a superintendent of city schools in a large city, chosen by and responsible to a city board of education.

ONE BOARD CONTROL IS ADVISED.

"In the selection of such a commissioner of education the state board of education should be free from restrictions as to politics, sex and residence and should be able to fix the salary and determine the tenure. Under the same conditions the board should appoint as many assistant commissioners as may be provided for by law to act as heads of the different divisions of the state educational department.

"The state board of education should have power to determine, subject to legislative regulation, the educational policies to be pursued in the state, and to have power to inspect, require reports from and to co-ordinate the educational work of the different educational institutions supported by the state, and with a view to securing economy of operation, efficient educational administration, and a sound, comprehensive and well coordinated state system of schools.

TEACHERS WOULD COME UNDER JURISDICTION.

"The state board of education should exercise regulatory control over all institutions engaged in the training of teachers; control the examination certification, and retirement of teachers; supervise the educational work done in all charitable, penal and reformatory institutions maintained by the state; direct the program for physical training and health work in the schools; exercise a supervisory control over school buildings, to see that sanitary conditions are maintained and that *new buildings conform to* proper standards; see that the educational laws of the state are enforced, and the educational rights of children protected; and to conduct investigations as to the progress and needs of the schools of the state, and to report the results and their recommendations to the legislature.

"The state board of education should be the body, subject to direction by the legislature, to determine questions of policy in the management of the school system, pass on new proposals, and vote official instructions, but all execution of such decisions and the taking of action in *the name of the state* to be done by and through its executive officers, that is, by the commissioner of education and his assistants, or other persons instructed to act in the name of the board.

STATE LIBRARY IS INCLUDED IN IDEA.

"In a few states the state library has been conceived of as a part of the state's educational service and placed under the control of the state board of education, and as a division of the state education department, and the county libraries have been placed under the direction of the county boards of education; in a few other states the management and investment of the permanent state school fund has been placed under the state board of education."

The report goes into educational history and points out in support of the appointive superintendent the dangers when such an official is antagonistic or inclined to play politics.

PRESENT HAPHAZARD MANAGEMENT IS TOLD.

Listed as unrelated agencies, boards and commissions which have charge of some part of the educational work of the state under the present "haphazard organization" and which must "inevitably be uneconomical in administration and inefficient in action," are:

"The common schools, now under state board and superintendent of public instruction.

"The State University, under a board of regents

"The seven state normal schools, each under the control of a board of five trustees appointed by the governor with the superintendent of public instruction an ex-officio member and subject in financial matters to the state board of control.

"California Polytechnic school, organized similar to normal schools.

"Schools for juvenile delinquents There are three of these, at Whittier, Ione and Ventura, each under a board of trustees with oversight exercised by the board of charities and corrections. The state educational offices have no relations to the work.

"Two schools for adult delinquents at San Quentin and Folsom. Under control of prison board.

SCHOOLS FOR BLIND AND ADULT HOME.

"Two schools for a typical children. Sonoma home is managed by lunacy commission. Pacific Colony under board of trustees with some oversight by state board of charities and corrections and none by board of education.

"State School for Deaf and Blind, Berkeley, under trustees, also Home for Education of Adult Blind at Oakland, not related to state educational system.

"State Nautical school, authorized 1917, not opened due to failure of the government to supply a vessel for it."

"Immigrant education, plan being worked out, deputizes superintendent to serve as assistant superintendent of public instruction.

"Re-education of cripples for which funds were appropriated in 1919.

"Education and care of orphans, under private auspices but exempted from taxation by state. State board of control and state board of charities and corrections look after this work in part.

"State Library. Unrelated to state board of education and concerning which no recommendation is made, although it appears in the list."

HERE ARE DIVISIONS OF PROPOSED DEPARTMENT.

The various divisions of the proposed department of education are described in detail and the subject of county organization is next treated.

The committee would introduce for the district system, county control. *The county*, the report says, is the logical unit, voluntary action toward school consolidation by districts is too slow and the unions formed are too small.

Fundamental reorganization of the administration of rural and village education is asked and the following steps suggested:

"Abolition by law of the present professional county boards of education and the creation of lay boards with new powers

"Abolition of the district system of school administration, and the enactment of an optional, comprehensive county-unit law

"Amendment to provide for appointment of the county superintendent of schools."

TEACHER AND JUNIOR COLLEGES RECOMMENDED.

The problem of teacher training is regarded as important and the creation of teachers' colleges and junior colleges is recommended. While the report does not say so, Bakersfield San Diego and Palo Alto are among those places regarded as sites for some of these schools to be run in connection with high schools. Others will be operated at the normal schools and the large teachers college at Berkeley with the university. A commissioner for teacher training is recommended and the report says:

"The future calls for a rearrangement of the relationships between the State University and the public school system, and particularly between these new teachers' colleges and the university. Whether this can be arranged best by a co-ordinating board, by consolidation under one board, the committee leaves to the future to decide."

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES WOULD BE CONTROLLED.

Examination and certification of teachers, under the plan, would be referred to the state department instead of county boards, and a revision of the certification laws are urged.

The high school and junior college recommendations would make of the State University the junior and senior courses the most important and the "real" university. Added to this would be the graduate and teachers' courses. Lower division work at the university would be segregated and become a junior college. Gradual development of the normal schools into four year teachers' colleges is included in the recommendations of policy. Without some plan of supplementary colleges, the prediction is made that in 1925 there will be 12,500 students at Berkeley, not counting summer school 15,500 in 1930 and 20,000 in 1935. Such a great number, the committee says, cannot be properly fed, housed, cared for, supervised or taught.

Advantages of the plan in equalizing *funds are shown and what is* described as a general trend in the direction of the recommended policy is outlined.

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MEASURE TO CURB JAPANESE SCHOOLS URGED BY PETTIS

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 31.—Assemblyman J. A. Pettis of Fort Bragg, floor leader of the house, says that plans for anti-Oriental legislation at this session of the state legislature would in all likelihood conform with the action taken on the subject by the federal government.

"I believe" he said, "that some step may be taken to curb the spread of Japanese language schools in the state. These schools are fostered by Japanese associations, which are said to be directly under the control of the mikado's government, according to reports issued by the Japanese Exclusion League. These associations are not a new development."

Five Bandits Kill Two Men And Take $4500

BY UNITED PRESS
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 31.—W. C. Sly, president, and George Fanner, vice-president of the W. W. Sly Manufacturing company were shot and killed by five automobile bandits on the open street here at noon today. The bandits escaped with the company payroll of $4500.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Dec. 31.—An unidentified man entered the Peoples Bank at Springfield, Tennessee, this morning and making his way unobserved to the cashier's window secured $50,000 in bonds. He stood off bank officials and wounded one officer. Taking refuge in a storeroom, he was killed by officers.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 31.—Shortly after W. W. Lawrence of Campbell had been found unconscious and probably drugged at Fourth and Santa Clara streets an automobile registered in his name was discovered wrecked against a tree on Alum Rock road, about four miles from the place where the unconscious man was found.

The police investigating the occurrence believe that Lawrence was drugged and robbed and that thieves attempting to get away with his machine wrecked it at the point where it was found.

MOUNT VERNON, Wash., Dec. 31.—A bandit in jail here today after being wounded by birdshot from the guns of two farmers, owes his undoing to the quick wit of Beatrice Gaches, 13, who when she heard the *stranger demandin* gthat her father pay him $10,000, ran from the house [illegible] stranger flourished a bottle which he said contained nitroglycerin, and threatened to blow up the home of Charles Gaches unless the $10,000 was paid immediately. The bottle was filled with water

Identity of the bandit has not been ascertained, but a ring he wore bears the inscription, "From P. G. E. to L. C. E."

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Three limousine bandits shot and killed Joseph Sweitzer, chauffeur, and wounded his *helper, Edward Rodell, when they* attempted to seize a truckload of whisky consigned to a druggist.

INSTITUTES FOR TEACHERS OF NO VALUE, SAYS KLINE

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 31.—Teachers' institutes would be abolished under the terms of a bill Assemblyman Kline is preparing.

[illegible] as "needless expense and of no value at all to the teachers."

"I have as yet to learn of one teacher who favors them or who thinks they are of benefit," he said. "Meanwhile the pupils are on the streets and buildings representing millions are idle."

Alameda Delegation Organizes for Work

The Alameda county delegation of the state legislature met in the supervisors' chambers this afternoon to organize for the coming session and to consider recommendations of the grand jury for increases of salaries to county officials and employees.

A delegation of county deputies appeared to urge the claims of its members for increase in salaries. It was stated the salary question will be taken up at Sacramento at the second session of the legislature. Two years ago, when the same question was up, the legislatures heard county officials here and then summoned them to come to Sacramento. This year it was decided to thresh the entire matter out at Sacramento.

The representatives of the employees told the legislators that even if the recommendations of the grand jury were granted the increased salaries would not equal those paid for similar work by the city, where salaries are fixed by the civil service board.

Senator Frank M. Carr, chairman of last year's delegation, was scheduled to be re-elected to that position this afternoon, there being no opposition to his selection. The others present were: Senators Arthur H. Breed, Frank Otis and A. P. Anderson; Assemblymen Gilbert L. Jones, E. H. Christian, Frank Anderson, Homer Spence, Clifton Brooks, Edgar F. Hurley, Mrs. Anna L. Saylor and Arthur H. Wendering.

State Will Be Asked For Aid in Grading

BERKELEY, Dec. 31.—The Legislature will be asked to contribute $29,750 for grading and paving Oxford street, between Center street and University avenue, as its share toward a permanent memorial to Berkeley's war dead.

The portion of Oxford street for which money will be asked comes directly under the jurisdiction of the Legislature, as the university owns the land on both sides. The improvement of the street is in line with a general plan of President David P. Barrows to create a memorial on the west frontage of the university.

If you see it in The TRIBUNE tell them so.

January 1st, 1921

A Greeting and a Message

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MIDNIGHT LID ON POOLROOMS AND DANCES ORDERED

Following on the heels of yesterday's drastic ordinance regulating dance halls and banning cabarets, the city council this morning passed to print an ordinance introduced by Commissioner Morse, closing all poolrooms, cabarets, dance halls and bowling alleys at midnight.

There are still more ordinances to come, says Morse.

"The sale of liquor must be stopped," he said, "and close watch shall be maintained on the sources of illicit liquor traffic. The next ordinance will either be an anti-liquor ordinance or one regulating taxicab drivers and compelling them to have a permit to ply their trade."

"FLOATERS" BLAMED

A representative of the taxi men said he agreed with this ordinance, claiming that much of the trouble arising through night taxicabs comes through "floaters" or "drifters," who operate their vehicles and connive at any sort of immoral use so long as there is profit in it.

"The regular Oakland taxicab men are a fine body and will be well able to stand any sort of test," it was asserted.

This morning's ordinance closing poolrooms, cabarets, dancehalls and bowling alleys at midnight was accompanied by a communication from Commissioner Morse to the effect that it "is desirable that people be given all facilities to go to their homes by midnight without being compelled to use taxicabs or other private vehicles."

UNANIMOUS VOTE.

To the Council Morse said:

"We have at present no closing hours for poolrooms and cabarets, although some poolrooms have been found to harbor a great many undesirable characters. Oakland may be fortunate in not having much trouble in that way, but I think it is time we should regulate these institutions."

The ordinance was adopted unanimously. It is effective in eight days.

Meantime, the first embarrassment from the new regulative ordinances faced the City Council this morning. A delegation representing the Brotherhood of American Yeomen appeared and said they were planning to have a big annual indoor entertainment for all the eastbay fraternal organizations at the Pacific building, January 15. The fraternal organization, however, will have guests and will charge 10 cents admission. It wanted permission for an all-night dance.

DECISION DEFERRED.

Commissioner Morse demurred.

"The ordinance becomes effective before that time," he said, "and I will recommend against any all-night dances thereafter."

"When a dance is sponsored by a fraternal organization for invited guests," asked Commissioner Soderberg, "is it a public dance?"

"If it is invitational it is probably a public dance," replied City Attorney Hagan.

The matter was finally referred to Hagan for a ruling as to what constitutes a public dance.

Bopp Leaves S. F. for German Home

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31—Franz Bopp, former German consul-general at San Francisco, convicted early during the war of violation of the United States neutrality laws and released from the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth three months ago, is on his way back to Germany. He left here yesterday accompanied by his housekeeper and his youngest son, announcing as he left the city that he would never return to the United States. After his release from the federal penitentiary, Bopp went to Berkeley to sell his former home and settle up his business affairs.

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Ebony-Hued Lad Deals as Jurists Gamble for Jobs

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 31.—The goddess of chance appearing in the form of an ebony-hued lad of seven summers, paid a visit to the august chambers of the State Supreme Court today.

And smiling broadly on Justice John T. Nourse, handed him an $84,000 plum through the agency of the nimble fingers of young Vincent Augustus Morris, who was chosen to draw the lots deciding the terms of the three new justices of the court of appeals because of his absolute disinterestedness. Justice Nourse won the twelve-year term.

Again the fingers of Augustus plunged into the jury box and drew forth the name of Justice William H. Langdon in conjunction with the eight-year term, or a $56,000 plum.

To Justice George A. Sturtevant fell the four-year term with its $28,000 compensation.

Supreme Court Chief Justice Angellotti presided and administered the oaths of office.

Justices Langdon, Nourse and Sturtevant were elected at the last election to fill the vacancies on the appeals bench, but their terms were not designated, necessitating the allotment of service by chance.

The names of the justices enclosed in capsules were in one jury box and the terms in capsules, in another box.

A large crowd witnessed the drawing.

Tribune Newsboys Fast Now; Doughnut Feast Tomorrow

All of the boys who sell The TRIBUNE will combine tomorrow to see if they can eat doughnuts at the rate of 300 dozen an hour. They will be guests of The TRIBUNE and the Superior Doughnut company at that company's "kruller palace" at Twentieth street and San Pablo avenue.

Meeting at The TRIBUNE building at 8:45 in the morning, the newsboys will march in a body over to Broadway, up to Fourteenth street and out San Pablo avenue, where the attack on the doughnuts will be held without quarter.

Prizes have been offered by leading local merchants for the fastest and fleetest doughnut eater in the bunch. Those who come out with all doughnuts down, unchoked and smiling, will win the prizes which are today announced as follows:

First prize, $15 suit order from Capwell's; second prize, $8 sweater order from Arthur Ramage company, third prize, flannel shirt order, anonymous donor; fourth prize, $7.50 cap order from Lee Bertillon; fifth prize, $1.50 jackknife order from Maxwell Hardware company.

Judges in the doughnut eating race will be Chief of Police Frank Lynch, Fire Chief Elliot Whitehead and Commissioner of Public Health and Safety F. F. Morse.

The occasion will mark the first operation at full speed of the new quality doughnut machine which has been installed at the Superior Doughnut factory and which when going full speed can turn out 3600 doughnuts an hour.

POOR 'DEAF' MAN HEARS COIN RING; NOW HE'S IN JUG

His clothes were worn, his step uncertain, and his emaciated form showed the ravages of years of adversity. He was seen to pause a moment by the gate post of the residence at 1009 Seventy-fifth avenue.

In answer to the look of inquiry on the face of the matronly woman who opened the door, he produced a bit of soiled paper.

"I am James Dunnigan," the document read. "For seven years I have been deaf and dumb as the result of a severe case of scarlet fever. May I ask your assistance?"

The woman was about to reply when the head of the house appeared, read the paper and shook his head.

Dunnigan staggered despondently away. As he neared the sidewalk the man on the steps threw after him a shining half dollar. Its cheerful ring as it struck the pavement could be heard half a block.

Turning joyously at the sound of the coin, Dunnigan stooped to pick it up. He arose to look into the stern face of Patrolman Charles Fife—the erstwhile philanthropist.

"A faker—I thought so," said Fife, leading Dunnigan toward a police box to call the wagon.

BE VIGILANT, IS CHIEF'S ORDER TO HALT CRIME

A New Year's order instructing all members of the police force to use unusual vigilance in the handling of crime, was issued today by Chief of Police Lynch as follows:

"You will instruct the members of your respective commands that they must exert their utmost efforts to rid this city of all undesirable persons.

"Officers are to carefully note the movements of all persons on their respective beats, both day and night, and if said persons cannot give prompt explanations to the officers of their movements such persons must be immediately sent to police headquarters for investigation.

"In short, every member of the police department is hereby given notice that he will be held strictly responsible on his beat or district for the thorough enforcement of all laws and ordinances so that our citizens may be fully assured that this city will not be a safe place for thugs and lawbreakers."

Ina Kline Dies at Her Alameda Home

ALAMEDA, Dec. 31.—Miss Ina Kline, prominent educator of Alameda, died at her home, 2111 Encinal avenue, today following a nervous breakdown.

Miss Kline conducted a business college here and was one of the best known educators in Alameda county. She leaves a mother, Mrs. Kate Kline, and an aunt, Mrs. Mary Shedd, prominent in Catholic circles.

Miss Kline was 3 years old, having resided in Alameda for the past 20 years. Her father, Thomas Kline, was a pioneer miner of Trinity county, and the Kline family is one of the most widely known families in this county.

Standard Oil Asks Judgment Verdict

A motion that the jury be instructed to give judgment for the defendants in the $50,000 damage suit of Orison Van Horn against the Standard Oil Company was made by Attorneys Donahue and Hynes representing the company, before Superior Judge J. S. Koford today. Van Horn was run over by a Standard Oil truck on San Pablo avenue near the city hall.

Poison Is Taken in Error for Medicine

Poison, taken in mistake for cough medicine, nearly cost Joe Costa, 214 Curtis street, his life last night. Suffering with a cold, Costa took a dose out of the poison bottle. Other occupants of the house heard him groaning later and caused his removal to the emergency hospital. He will recover.

Man Battles Dog; Goes to Hospital

Sam Richmond, 2825 Union street received treatment at the Emergency hospital today for wounds received in a battle with an infuriated collie dog. The animal virtually tore the trousers and one shoe from his victim. The attack occurred at 1715 San Pablo avenue, where Richmond was said to have applied for lodging.

Kaiser Bill Has Strangers Watched

DOORN, Holland, Dec 31.—The former German Emperor William has personally engaged a private detective to keep an eye on strangers in the village of Doorn. This is in addition to the state police who guard the House of Doorn, his new home.

STAGE COMPANY SUED.

Charles Neves, 10, through his guardian, Geraldine Neves, has filed suit for $10,000 damages against a stage company for injuries sustained when he was run down at Eleventh and Oak streets. Neves claims that his skull and legs were fractured and he suffered other serious injuries.

BICYCLIST ARRESTED

Suspected of having stolen the bicycle on which he was riding, Joseph Roy was taken into custody late last night by Officer C. Jorgensen at Water street and Broadway. The prisoner was said to have given several explanations of his possession of the vehicle.

Coolidges Return From Orient Trip

Dane Coolidge, the writer, and Mrs. Mary Roberts Coolidge, head of the department of sociology at Mills College, have returned from a tour of several months throughout the countries of the Orient. Professor Coolidge was granted a leave of absence from Mills in order to make a study of the social and economic conditions in China.

The Coolidges will remain at their home, Dwight way end, Berkeley, for a time, and Mrs. Coolidge will resume her work at Mills. Coolidge will leave for the mountains and sagebrush country in about a month to gather material for new stories of the west.

Painter Is Arrested On Bad Check Charge

Jack E. Bennett, 34, former San Diego fireman, artist and interior decorator, was arrested by Officer C. Hardes today at his home, 1011 Santa Fe avenue, Albany, and taken to the county jail to be held for issuing fictitious checks in the southern city.

Bennett was arrested on a complaint from Chief of Police James Patrick of San Diego, who asked Sheriff Frank Barnett to hold the man as a bad check passer. Bennett, who has been in the county by three weeks, was living at the Albany address with his wife and child.

K. C. School to Give Advertising Course

Starting Monday evening an evening course in advertising will be given at the Oakland Knights of Columbus night school at Broadway and Hawthorne street. Instruction is free to ex-service men. Louis Franklin Overstreet, former instructor in the extension division of the state university, will conduct the class. It will meet Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Other classes offered on the subject of advertising include "English Efficiency," by Thomas G. Allison and "Commercial Art," by Frank Geritz.

PATROLMAN APPEALS

The appeal of Patrolman Powell A. Pierce from a fine of $175 imposed upon him in the police court for beating Manuel Franco, was submitted to Superior Judge Lincoln Church today. Church reserved his decision for a week. Pierce, it was found, beat Franco badly while putting him in a lockup at the West Oakland fire station.

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POLICE TRAFFIC SQUAD SCORED BY BERKELEYANS

BERKELEY, Dec. 31.—Declaring that traffic violators, especially those whose reckless driving has resulted in the death of several persons and serious injury to others have been permitted to escape punishment in many instances, due to the lax manner in which the police investigate the circumstances surrounding each case, representatives of three organizations, the Odd Fellows, Grand Army and Pythians, in Berkeley today appeared before the city council and verbally protested against what they termed a "deplorable condition in traffic affairs."

The protest was not only verbal. A resolution, citing the death of John Allen, a G. A. R. veteran, who was killed when run down by a car driven by Miss Louise Ouijada, a Berkeley girl, declared that the death of Allen was inexcusable, and blamed the coroner's jury for having exonerated the girl "when the facts showed Allen's death to be the result of extreme carelessness." The car which Miss Ouijada was driving at the time of the accident, when Allen was killed, belonged to R. Negri, Mexican consul at San Francisco, it was declared.

POLICE ACCUSED OF MARKED LAXITY.

The resolution declared that the police have shown a marked laxity in dealing with traffic violations wherein death or serious injury resulted, and declared further that crimes of less importance were being fully investigated. The resolution also attacks the methods employed by Deputy Coroner Frank Berk in selecting juries, which, the resolution declares, are for the most part incapable and usually inclined to look lightly upon traffic accidents.

The organizations which signed the resolution, and whose representatives were present, are the Berkeley Lodge, I. O. O. F., Lookout Mountain Post of the G. A. R., and Berkeley Lodge of the Knights of Pythias.

OTHER CASES ARE TOLD COUNCILMEN

Those representing the I. O. O. F. in council were J. E. Streightiff, B. E. Underwood and H. R. Irwin; G. A. R., George Ober, Levi Shrader and L. A. May; K. of P., Henry Detleff, H. L. Borkheim and M. R. Nicols.

Other cases where injury was caused by alleged reckless driving cited in the resolution include the injury of Stanford Brown, an aged man, and the injury of Mrs. Martha Wilson several weeks ago. In both cases, it is declared in the document, the driver was reckless and unmindful of the danger to others.

Charles D. Heywood, commissioner of public health and safety, stated that it was high time that killings and injury to pedestrians be brought to an end. Councilman George Schmidt said that the conditions warranted action. He made a motion that a copy of the resolution be sent to Deputy Coroner Berk for "her personal consumption."

TWO CHINESE DIE IN TONG BATLE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31. — Two Chinese were shot and killed and a third wounded last night in an alley in the Los Angeles Chinatown. The dead men were Wong Lin and Yee Fat. The wounded man is Wing Sen Wong. The three are declared by the police to have been members of the Bing Kung tong, a Chinese secret organization.

Soon after the shooting, William Chu and Chu Sing, who the police say are members of the Hop Sing tong, a rival organization, were arrested and held on charges of suspicion of murder. Chee Kee, also said to be a member of the Hop Sing tong, was being sought, the police declared, as possibly having some knowledge of the shooting.

Each of the victims was shot in the back, according to examining surgeons.

The men were shot shortly after they left a Chinatown resort, where they had been playing fantan. They were half way through the alley, which is unlighted, when Patrolman H. F. Glaze, of the Chinatown police squad, heard six shots fired. As he ran up the alley he saw several men running from three bodies on the ground. He fired on the fugitives, but all escaped.

William Chu and Chu Sing were arrested several blocks away by other policemen, who declared they were running at the time.

Wife Is Accused in Husband's Cross Bill

Charging that while he was working in Africa and later fighting as a soldier in the World war, his wife was living off his money with a man named Herndon at Vineburg, Clifford J. Estment is today combatting Mrs. Edith M. Estment's suit for a divorce before Judge Joseph Koford with a cross-complaint.

Declaring that while he was away he sent his wife a total of $6,000, that the government provided for her while he was in the army from April, 1919, to November, 1919, that he did not know she had lost her love for him and that he returned to find her living with her three babies, with Herndon on a little chicken ranch near Vineburg. Estment says he found his wife taking care of an infant child for Herndon and that a 20-year-old girl named Jennings was also living with them.

Mrs. Estment in her suit charges that her husband abandoned her, but in his cross-complaint Estment declares that his wife consented to his going back to a mining business in Africa and that she accepted his money.

Citizen Threatens to Repair Street

An irate property-owner on Hopkins street has threatened to rip out the tracks of the traction company with his gang of 100 men and repair the pavement himself, according to a letter written today by Commissioner Edwards of the street department to the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railways.

The street in question is from Cole avenue to Chapman street. The property-owner mentioned is a contractor with labor gangs available.

CLOTHING STOLEN

More than $100 worth of clothing was stolen from the apartments of C. L. Gibbs, 530 Forty-second street, by a pass-key burglar early today.

MASONIC LODGE CELEBRATES ITS 50TH BIRTHDAY

ALAMEDA, Dec. 31.—Members of Oak Grove Lodge No. 215, F. & A. M., observed and celebrated the half century anniversary of its founding last night with installation ceremonies, a program and banquet.

The anniversary marks the lodge as one of the oldest in the Eastbay region.

Samuel O. Bowles was installing officer and James N. Eschen the master of ceremonies. The main address of the evening was made by Joseph R. Knowland.

The Masonic choir assisted in the evening and Henry C. Lassen, Hugh Williams, Carl Anderson and Clement Rowlands were soloists.

Distinguished honor was paid Dr. Arthur Hieronymus, city physician of Alameda, last night when he was installed as illustrious master of Oakland Council of Royal and Select Masters.

This is one of the highest of the Masonic awards. The ceremony took place in the Oakland Masonic Temple at Twelfth and Washington streets.

A dinner preceded the installation at which guests of honor were members of Oakland Chapter, Royal Arch Masons. Addresses were made by Preston W. Higgins of the Rotary Club and by C. T. McLafferty.

The officers installed beside Dr. Hieronymus were S. M. Estabrook, deputy illustrious master; S. L. Arbogast, principal conductor of the work; H. L. Breed, treasurer; George H. Smith, recorder, the Rev. William M. Saunders, chaplain; Max A. Plumb, captain of the guard; E. M. Clintsman, steward; R. G. Evans, sentry.

William McCrackin was installing officer and H. R. Braden was the master of ceremonies.

CAFETERIA PERMIT.

The building department today issued a permit for $40,000 in improvements to the Leighton cafeteria on the ground floor of the Henshaw building at Fourteenth and Broadway.

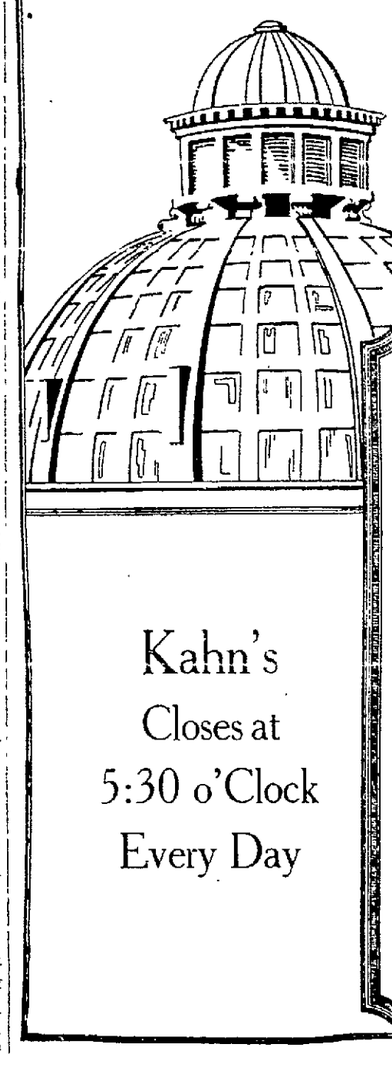
Psychology Lectures

Harry Gaze, Author, Lecturer, Psychologist, will give a series of three free lectures on "Psychology of Successful Living," Sunday afternoon and evening, 3:15 and 8:15, Monday evening special lecture at 7 sharp, Hotel Oakland ballroom. Admission free. All welcome.

Motion Picture Men Will Reduce Output

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—There will be no united action by the motion picture industry to limit production, the matter being left to the individual discretion of the various film firms, it was stated at the offices of the National Association of Motion Pictures. The matter of over-production of films was discussed at a meeting of the larger producing firms, but it was considered wise to adopt no national policy. Many of the smaller concerns already have been forced to cut production owing to market conditions, a canvass showed.

Happy New Year



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HUMOR PATHOS ROMANCE

An O. Henry Story a Day

The Pimienta Pancakes.

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While we were rounding up a bunch of the Triangle-O cattle in the Frio bottoms a projecting branch of a dead mesquite caught my wooden stirrup and gave my ankle a wrench that laid me up in camp for a week.

On the third day of my compulsory idleness I crawled out near the grub wagon and reclined helpless under the conversational fire of Judson Odom, the camp cook. Jud was a monologist by nature, whom Destiny, with customary blundering, had set in a profession wherein he was bereaved, for the greater portion of his time, of an audience.

Therefore, I was manna in the desert of Jud's obmutescence.

Betimes I was stirred by invalid longings for something to eat that did not come under the caption of "grub." I had visions of the maternal pantry "deep as first love, and wild with all regret," and then I asked:

"Jud, can you make pancakes?"

Jud laid down his six-shoter, with which he was preparing to pound an antelope steak, and stood over me in what I felt to be a menacing attitude. He further indorsed by impression that his pose was resentful by fixing upon me with his light blue eyes a look of cold suspicion.

"Say, you," he said, with candid, thought not excessive, choler, "did you mean that straight, or was you trying to throw the gaff into me? Some of the boys been telling you about me and that pancake racket?"

"No, Jud," I said sincerely, "I meant it. It seems to me I'd swap my pony and saddle for a stack of buttered brown pancakes with some first crop, open kettle, New Orleans sweetening. Was there a story about pancakes?"

Jud was mollified at once when he saw that I had not been dealing in allusions. He brought some mysterious bags and tin boxes from the grub wagon and set them in the shade of the hackberry where I lay reclined. I watched him as he began to arrange them leisurely and untie their many strings.

"No, not a story," said Jud, as he worked, "but just the logical disclosures in the case of me and that pink-eyed snoozer from Mired Mule Canada and Miss Willella Learight. I don't mind telling you.

"I was punching them for old Bill Toomey, on the San Miguel. One day I gets all ensnared up in aspirations for to eat some canned grub that hasn't ever mooed or baaed or grunted or been in peck measures. So, I gets on my bronc and pushes the wind for Uncle Emsley Telfair's store at the Pimienta Crossing on the Nueces.

'About three in the afternoon I throwed my bridle rein over a mesquite limb and walked the last twenty yards into Uncle Emsley's store. I got up on the counter and told Uncle Emsley that the signs pointed to the devastation of the fruit crop of the world. In a minute I had a bag of crackers and a long-handled spoon, with an open can each of apricots and pineapples and cherries and greengages beside of me with Uncle Emsley busy chopping away with the hatchet at the yellow clings. I was feeling like Adam before the apple stampede, and was digging my spurs into the side of the counter and working with my twenty-four-inch spoon when I happened to look out of the window into the yard of Uncle Emsley's house, which was next to the store.

"There was a girl standing there—an imported girl with fixings on—philandering with a croquet maul and amusing herself by watching my style of encouraging the fruit canning industry.

I slid off the counter and delivered up my shovel to Uncle Emsley.

"'That's my niece,' says he; 'Miss Willella Learight, down from Palestine on a visit. Do you want that I should make you acquainted?'

"'The Holy Land,' I says to myself, my thoughts milling some as I tried to run 'em into the corral. 'Why not? There was sure angels in Pales—Why yes, Uncle Emsley,' I says out loud. 'I'd be awful edified to mee Miss Learight.'

"So Uncle Emsley took me out in the yard and gave us each other's entitlements.

"I never was shy about women. I never could understand why some men who can break a mustang before breakfast and shave in the dark, get all left-handed and full of perspiration and excuses when they see a bolt of calico draped around what belongs in it. Inside of eight minutes me and Miss Willella was aggravating the croquet balls around as amiable as second cousins. She gave me a dig, about the quantity of canned fruit I had eaten and I got back at her, flat-footed, about how a certain lady named Eve started the fruit trouble in the first free-grass pasture—Over in Palestine, wasn't it? says I, as easy and pat as roping a one-year-old.

"That was how I acquired cordiality for the proximities of Miss Willella Learight; and the disposition grew larger as time passed. She was stopping at Pimienta Crossing for her health, which was very good, and for sequies—the climate, which was forty per cent hotter than Palestine. I rode over to see her once every week for a while; and then I figured it out that if I doubled the number of trips I would see her twice as often.

"One week I slipped in a third trip; and that's where the pancakes and the pink-eyed snoozer busted into the game.

"That evening, while I set on the counter with a peach and two damsons in my mouth, I asked Uncle Emsley how Miss Willella was.

"'Why,' says Uncle Emsley, 'she's gone riding with Jackson Bird, the sheep man from over at Mired Mule Canada.'

"I swallowed the peach seed and the two Damson seeds. I guess somebody held the counter by the bridle while I got off; and then I walked out straight ahead till I butted against the mesquite where my roan was tied.

"'She's gone riding,' I whisper in my bronco's ear, 'with Birdstone Jack, the hired mule from Sheep Man's Canada. Did you get that, old Leather-and-Gallops?'

"That bronc of mine wept, in his way. He'd been raised a cow pony and he didn't care for snoozers.

"I went back and said to Uncle Emsley: 'Did you say a sheep man?'

"'I said a sheep man,' says Uncle agin. 'You must have heard tell of Jackson Bird. He's got eight sections of grazing and four thousand head of the finest Merinos south of the Arctic Circle.'

"I went out and sat on the ground in the shade of the store and leaned against a prickly pear. I sifted sand into my boots with unthinking hands while I soliloquized a quantity about this bird with the Jackson plumage to his name.

"I never had believed in harming sheep men. I see one, one day, reading a Latin grammar on hossback, and I never touched him! They never irritated me like they do most cowmen. You wouldn't go to work now, and impair and disfigure snoozers, would you, that eat on tables and wear little shoes and speak to you on subjects? I had always let 'em pass, just as you would a jack-rabbit; with a polite word and a guess about the weather, but no stopping to swap cantens. I never thought it was worth while to be hostile with a snoozer. And because I'd been lenient, and let 'em live, here was one going around riding with Miss Willella Learight!

"An hour by sun they come loping back, and stopped at Uncle Emsley's gate. The sheep person helped her off; and they stood throwing each other sentences all sprightful and sagacious for a while. And then this feathered Jackson flies up in his saddle and raises his little stewpot of a hat, and trots off in the direction of his mutton ranch. By this time I had turned the sand out of my boots and unglued myself from the prickly pear; and by the time he gets half a mile out of Pimienta, I singlefoots up beside him on my bronc.

"I said that snoozer was pink-eyed, but he wasn't. His seeing arrangement was gray enough, but his eye lashes was pink and his hair was sandy, and that gave you the idea. Sheep man?—he wasn't more than a lamb anyhow—a little thing with his [illegible] in a yellow silk handkerchief, and shoes tied up in bow-knots.

"'Afternoon!' says I to him. 'You now ride with a equestrian who is commonly called Dead-Moral-Certainty Judson, on account of the way I shoot. When I want a stranger to know me I always introduce myself before the draw, for I never did like to shake hands with ghosts.'

"'Ah,' says he, just like that—'Ah, I'm glad to know you, Mr. Judson. I'm Jackson Bird, from over at Mired Mule Ranch.'

"Just then one of my eyes saw a roadrunner skipping down the hill with a young tarantula in his bill, and the other eye noticed a rabbit-hawk sitting on a dead limb in a water-elm. I popped over one after the other with my forty-five just to show him. 'Two out of three,' says I. 'Birds just naturally seem to draw my fire wherever I go.'

"'Nice shooting,' says the sheep man, without a flutter. 'But don't you sometimes ever miss the third shot? Elegant fine rain that was last week for the young grass, Mr. Judson?' says he.

"'Willie,' says I, riding over close to his palfrey, 'your infatuated parents may have denounced you by the name of Jackson, but you sure molted into a twittering Willie—let us slough off this here analysis of rain and the elements, and get down to talk that is outside the vocabulary of parrots. That is a bad habit you have got of riding with young ladies over at Pimienta. I've known birds,' says I, 'to be served on toast for less than that. Miss Willella,' says I, 'don't ever want any nest made out of sheep's wool by a tomtit of the Jacksonian branch of ornithology. Now, are you going to quit, or do you wish for a gallop up against this Dead-Moral-Certainty attachment to my name, which is good for two hyphens and at least one set of funeral obsequies?'

"Jackson Bird flushed up some, and then he laughed.

"'Why, Mr. Judson,' says he, 'you've got the wrong idea. I've called on Miss Learight a few times; but not for the purpose you imagine. My object is purely a gastronomical one.'

"'WHY, MR. JUDSON,' SAYS HE, 'YOU'VE GOT THE WRONG IDEA'

"I reached for my gun.

"'Any coyote,' says I, 'that would boast of dishonorable—'

"'Wait a minute,' says this Bird, 'till I explain. What would I do with a wife? If you ever saw that ranch of mine! I do my own cooking and mending. Eating—that's all the pleasure I get out of sheep raising. Mr. Judson, did you ever taste the pancakes that Miss Learight makes?'

"'Me? No,' I told him. 'I never was advised that she was up to any culinary maneuvers.'

"'They're golden sunshine,' says he, 'honey-browned by the ambrosial fires of Epicuros. I'd give two years of my life to get the recipe for making them pancakes. That's what I went to see Miss Learight for,' says Jackson Bird, 'but I haven't been able to get it from her. It's an old recipe that's been in the family for seventy-five years. They hand it down from one generation to another, but they don't give it away to outsiders. If I could get that recipe, so I could make them pancakes for myself on my ranch, I'd be a happy man,' says Bird.

"'Are you sure,' I says to him, 'that it ain't the hand that mixes the pancakes that you're after?'

"'Sure,' says Jackson. 'Miss Learight is a mighty nice girl, but I can assure you my intentions go no further than the gastro—' but he seen my hand going down to my holster, and he changed his similitude—'than the desire to procure a copy of the pancake recipe,' he finishes.

"'You ain't such a bad little man,' says I, trying to be fair. 'I was thinking some of making orphans of your sheep, but I'll let you fly away this time. But you stick to pancakes,' says I, 'as close as the middle one of a stack; and don't go and mistake sentiments for syrup, or there's be singing at your ranch, and you won't hear it.'

"'To convince you that I am sincere,' says the sheep man, 'I'll ask you to help me. Miss Learight and you being closer friends, maybe she would do for you what she wouldn't for me. If you will get me a copy of that pancake recipe, I give you my word that I'll never call upon her again.'

"'That's fair,' I says, and I shook hands with Jackson Bird. 'I'll get it for you if I can, and glad to oblige.' And he turned off down the big pear flat on the Piedra, in the direction of Sheep Mule, and I steered northwest for old Bill Toomey's ranch.

"It was five days afterward when I got another chance to ride over to Pimienta. Miss Willella and me passed a gratifying evening at Uncle Emsley's. She sang some, and exasperated the piano quite a lot with quotations from the operas. I gave imitations of a rattlesnake, and told her about Snaky McFee's new way of skinning cows, and described the trip I made to Saint Louis once. We was getting along in one another's estimations fine. Thinks I, if Jackson Bird can now be persuaded to migrate, I win. I recollect his promise about the pancake receipt, and I thinks I will persuade it from Miss Willella and give it to him, and then if I catches Birdie off of the Mired Mule again, I'll make him hop the twig.

"So, along about 10 o'clock, I put on a wheedling smile and says to Miss Willella: 'Now, if there's anything I do like better than the sight of a red steer on green grass, it's the taste of a nice hot pancake smothered in sugar-house molasses.'

"Miss Willella gives a little jump on the piano stool, and looked at me curious.

"'Yes,' says she, 'they're real nice. What did you say was the name of that street in Saint Louis, Mr. Odom, where you lost your hat?'

"'Pancake avenue,' says I, with a wink, to show her that I was on about the family receipt, and couldn't be side-corralled off of the subject. 'Come now, Miss Willella,' I says, 'let's hear how you make 'em. Pancakes is just whirling in my head like wagon wheels. Start her off, now—pound of flour, eight dozen eggs, and so on. How does the catalogue of constituents run?'

"'Excuse me for a moment, please,' says Miss Willella, and she gives me a quick kind of sideways look, and slides off the stool. She ambled out Uncle Emsley comes in in his shirt into the other room, and directly sleeves, with a pitcher of water. He turns around to get a glass on the table, and I see a forty-five in his hip pocket. 'Great post-holes!' thinks I, 'but here's a family thinks a heap of cooking receipts, protecting it with firearms. I've known outfits that wouldn't do that much by a family feud.'

"'Drink this here down,' says Uncle Emsley, handing me the glass of water. 'You've rid too far today, Jud, and got yourself over-excited. Try to think about something else now.'

"'Do you know how to make them pancakes, Uncle Emsley?' I asked.

"'Well, I'm not as surprised in the anatomy of them as some,' says Uncle Emsley, 'but I reckon you take a sifter of plaster-of-paris and a little dough and saleratus and corn meal, and mix 'em with eggs and buttermilk as usual. Is old Bill going to ship beeves to Kansas City again this spring, Jud?'

"That was all the pancake specifications I could get that night. I didn't wonder that Jackson Bird found it uphill work. So I dropped the subject and talked with Uncle Emsley a while about hollow-horn and cyclones. And then Miss Willella came and said 'Goodnight,' and I hit the breeze for the ranch.

"About a week afterwards I met Jackson Bird riding out of Pimienta as I rode in, and we stopped in the road for a few frivolous remarks.

"'Got the bill of particulars for the flapjacks yet?' I asked him.

"'Well, no,' says Jackson. 'I don't seem to have any success in getting hold of it. Did you try?'

"'I did,' says I, 'and 'twas like trying to dig a prairie dog out of his hole with a peanut hull. That pancake receipt must be a jookalorum, the way they hold on to it.'

"'I'm most ready to give it up,' says Jackson, so discouraged in his pronunciations that I felt sorry for him; 'but I did want to know how to make them pancakes to eat on my lonely ranch,' says he. 'I lie awake at nights thinking how good they are.'

"'You keep on trying for it,' I tells him, 'and I'll do the same. One of us is bound to get a rope over its horns before long. Well, so-long, Jackson.'

"You see, by this time we was on the peacefullest of terms. When I saw that he wasn't after Miss Willella I had more endurable contemplations of that sandy-haired snoozer. In order to help out the ambitions of his appetite I kept on trying to get that receipt from Miss Willella. But every time I would say 'pancakes' she would get sort of remote and tigety about the eye, and try to change the subject. If I held her to it she would slide out and round up Uncle Emsley with his pitcher of water and his hip-pocket howitzer.

'One day I galloped over to the store with a fine bunch of blue verbenas that I cut out of a herd of wild flowers over on Poisoned Dog Prairie. Uncle Emsley looked at 'em with one eye shut and says.

"'Haven't you heard the news?'

"'Cattle up?' I asks.

"'Willella and Jackson Bird was married in Palestine yesterday,' says he. 'Just got a letter this morning.'

"I dropped them flowers in a cracker barrel and let the news trickle in my ears and down toward my upper left hand shirt pocket until it got to my feet.

"'Would you mind saying that over again once more, Uncle Emsley?' says I. 'Maybe my hearing has got wrong, and you only said that prime heifers was 4.80 on the hoof, or something like that.'

"'Married yesterday,' says Uncle Emsley, 'and gone to Maco and Niagara Falls on a wedding tour. Why, didn't you see none of the signs all along? Jackson Bird has been courting Willella ever since that day he took her out riding.'

"'Then,' says I, in a kind of yell, 'what was all this zizzaparoola he gives me about pancakes? Tell me that.'

"When I said 'pancakes' Uncle Emsley sort of dodged and stepped back.

"'Somebody's been dealing me pancakes from the bottom of the deck,' I says, 'and I'll find out. I believe you know. Talk up,' says I, 'or we'll mix a panful of batter right here.'

"I slid over the counter after Uncle Emsley. He grabbed at his gun, but it was in a drawer, and he missed it two inches. I got him by the front of his shirt and shoved him in a corner.

"'Talk pancakes,' says I, 'or be made into one. Does Miss Willella make 'em?'

"'She never made one in her life and I never saw one,' says Uncle Emsley, soothing. 'Calm down now, Jud—calm down. You've got excited, and that wound in your head is contaminating your sense of intelligence. Try not to think about pancakes.'

"'Uncle Emsley,' says I, 'I'm not wounded in the head except so far as my natural cogitative instincts run to runts. Jackson Bird told me he was calling on Miss Willella for the purpose of finding out her system of producing pancakes, and he asked me to help him get the bill of lading of the ingredients. I done so, with the results as you see. I'm now sodded down with Johnson grass by a pink-eyed snoozer, of what?'

"'Slack up your grip on my dress shirt,' says Uncle Emsley, 'and I'll tell you. Yes, it looks like Jackson Bird has gone and humbugged you some. The day after he went riding with Willella he came back and told me and her to watch out for you whenever you got to talking about pancakes. He said you was in camp once where they was cooking flapjacks, and one of the fellows cut you over the head with a frying pan. Jackson said that whenever you got overhot or excited that wound hurt you and made you kind of crazy, and you went raving about pancakes. He told us to just get you worked off of the subject and soothed down, and you wouldn't be dangerous. So, me and Willella done the best by you we knew how. Well, well,' says Uncle Emsley, 'that Jackson Bird is sure a seldom kind of a snoozer.'"

During the progress of Jud's story he had been slowly but deftly combining certain portions of the contents of his sacks and cans. Toward the close of it he set before me the finished product—a pair of red-hot, rich-hued pancakes on a tin plate. From some secret hoarding place he also brought a lump of excellent butter and a bottle of golden syrup.

"How long ago did these things happen?" I asked him.

"Three years," said Judd. "They're living on the Mired Mule Ranch now. But I haven't seen either of 'em since. They say Jackson Bird was fixing his ranch up fine with rocking chairs and window curtains all the time he was putting me up the pancake tree. Oh, I got over it after a while. But the boys kept the racket up."

"Did you make these cakes by the famous recipe?" I asked.

"Didn't I tell you there wasn't no receipt?" said Jud. "The boys hollered pancakes till they got pancake hungry, and I cut this recipe out of a newspaper. How does the truck taste?"

"They're delicious," I answered. "Why don't you have some, too, Jud?"

I was sure I heard a sigh.

"Me?" said Jud. "I don't never eat 'em."

(The End.)

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Mr. Erwin is a prominent retired business man of Denver, Col., who is spending the winter in Los Angeles. His Denver address is 730 Marion street.

"For twelve years," said Mr. Erwin, "I had no rest day or night on account of what I suffered from nervousness, indigestion and catarrh of the stomach. I spent hundreds of dollars seeking relief from these troubles, but nothing ever did me any good until I got Tanlac.

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"Even the most careful dieting seemed to make no difference at all in my condition, for I suffered, no matter what I ate and I went down from one hundred and ninety pounds to one hundred and twenty-five.

"That was the shape I was in when I got Tanlac, and now I am in splendid health and never feel an ache or a pain of any kind. I made the trip here with my son and his family from Denver in an auto and the long ride didn't fatigue me a particle.

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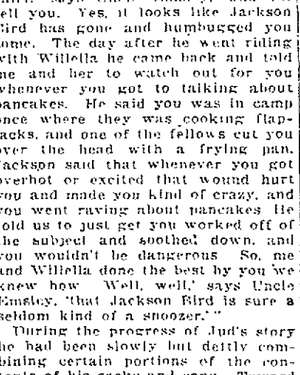

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Cry on Geraldine's Shoulder

Clear the floor, Folks—here comes a Regular Argument. Hitherto this column has been in the nature of a cosy corner for the Men Pals—but now comes Helen with some ideas on the Sterner Sex that are calculated to make 'em restive. Talk about your barrage nres! This is the Real thing. And I surely do like her spirit! Folks—meet Helen Dodge Smith.

Dear Geraldine—

I have been reading with great interest your articles about the comradeship between boys and girls. The idea of "men pals" is great—but unhappily I think it does not work out. So many of the letters you receive fasten the cause of the deplorable relations between the sexes upon the girl—but don't you believe it! THE MEN GET WHAT THEY WANT AND THEY WANT WHAT THEY GET! I can only cite cases of which I have actual knowledge, so I must speak of my own family. My sister and I are recent graduates of the U. C.—have ordinary good looks, good manners, too, I hope. Now, I'll say right here that we are not popular, so if you want to dub us bunches of sour grapes, go to it—however, I beg to assure you we are not.

During the war my mother thought it would be nice to entertain some service men from time to time at dinner and in the evening. We did this several times. Oh dismal failure! Oh rank nazile! Let me explain. On one occasion we had four young aviators from Berkeley. Remember, Geraldine, they were four perfect strangers accepting the hospitality of my mother and our home. Do you know that when we sat at dinner one of those fellows slipped his hand over mine and thought we were going to have a hand-holding bee? Well, I'll say that he met the wrong animal in this specimen! This characterizes the whole situation. The men did not want our tasteful dinners, our music, or intellectual intercourse—they wanted familiarity. They wanted to put their arms around us, they wanted us to sit on their laps, they wanted—but why go on?

They didn't get what they wanted and things fell as flat as a week old pancake. Men, nowadays, do not want to talk about their own work, or your work, or about mutual literary, artistic, progressive ideas—no ma'am! They want gooey, sloppy, sweet, cutie talk, which I will admit has resolved itself into quite a science all its own. No doubt in a year or two from now our schools will be teaching how to talk Jazzish instead of Spanish—also giving courses on HOW NOT TO OCCUPY MORE THAN TWO INCHES OF THE SOFA FOR TWO.

That girls may give these tokens of familiarity I admit, but it's because they're scared some other girl will cop the fellow they want if they don't go as far or farther—and the men know this! Talk about the girls keeping the fellows dangling! Help! Not by a long shot! The man seeks out the girl who proves a thriller and the other girls—well they can mildew! Rather pessimistic? Well, lots of us have to learn to face the truth and learn not to wince. I guess that's all!

HELEN DODGE SMITH.

About "Spooning"

No, Helen—I'm not going to call you a "bunch of sour grapes." I think you're a wonderfully clever girl, with a slashing sense of humor THAT YOU NEVER APPLY TO ACTUAL LIFE. I think that your university course may have taught you much about art and literature, much about giving wonderful little dinners, much about all social beauty—BUT IT HASN'T TAUGHT YOU A PARTICLE ABOUT MEN AND WOMEN. And because you're a sensitive, high-tension soul, hungry for life and real human contact, you're suffering from your ignorance.

I want to tell you what I really think about all this "spooning" business. And I want you to remember that I'm telling you with a deep and living desire to help you find a happier experience. In the first place, Helen, I DO NOT THINK THE RELATION BETWEEN THE SEXES IS "DEPLORABLE." I think it's absolutely natural. I don't think men are Vicious Hunters. I don't think women are Helpless Victims. I don't think the world is going to the devil. I think it's a bully old world and we all can have a dandy time if we use a little sense.

THE DESIRE TO "SPOON" IS PERFECTLY NATURAL. IT'S INFINITELY MORE NATURAL THAN A DESIRE TO TALK ABOUT YOUR WORK. Love-making is part of the basic job of all animal life. Man is only an animal that has learned to walk on his hind legs. In the lower forms of animal life it constitutes the only intimate contact between the sexes. During most of the ages of human life it has formed the only intimate contact between the sexes. We're gradually evolving from that stage—we're gradually forming a wider range of mutual interests. But in the very young, or the socially ignorant, or the socially embarrassed, it's still apt to form the first overture to acquaintanceship.

Interest in "spooning" is a natural instinct. Interest in work is an acquired instinct, and some of us acquire it mighty hard, if at all! So when a young man offers the old tribe salutations of hand clasp and hug, it's not a sign that he's a degenerate or that the whole masculine sex is of coarser fiber than the feminine sex. It merely indicates that he's trying to establish the easier contact—the contact that, in all the ages gone by, pleased the ladies! Yes, it did—Helen. I'm a woman, too, but remember—we've only been educated for about a generation or so and before that our interests were mostly heart ones.

As a matter of fact, I am positive that his work means more to the average adult man than any woman living. He was made that way. He was built for the hunting trail, and the office and factory are now his trails. But he isn't apt to tell you about it the first minute he meets you. He's either going to be dumb—or he's going to be "fresh." In either case he's feeling his way, and if you have the patience and understanding and humor to lead him through that phase you'll arrive at a fine comradeship. But first you must make him FEEL AT HOME. No, of course he "doesn't want tasteful dinners, music or intellectual intercourse," what normal man would? That is—not "right off the bat." Nor do they necessarily enjoy excessive "familiarity." WHAT THEY DO WANT IS HUMANITY. They want to get near you—near you in body if they can't in spirit. They want to feel at home.

That's why I talk about "bang pals" to those youngsters of mine. Because being pals is a natural urge—because it's the normal relationship. I don't scold about kissing because I don't think kissing is a scolding proposition. I think KISSING IS NICE. But I do preach discrimination and [illegible] and restraint. I believe that the liberty to love is a great treasure and I preach the proper valuation of treasures.

As for those aviator lads, Helen—do you know what I would have done when that hand came over mine at the dinner table. I would have smiled and said—

"I've got to eat with that hand now, Buddy, but I'm glad you're happy and I hope we're going to be friends."

I would have taken my hand back, but I would have tried to take back a little part of his heart with it, or that's what the friendliness of women is for. And glory be girlie—don't be so alarmed about this tendency to sit in laps. It's never going to precipitate the human race into a moral abyss for the simple reason that WHILE LAPS ARE POETIC OVER-STUFFED SOFAS ARE A HEAP MORE COMFORTABLE.

Helen, I'll bet you're a dear. And I'll tell you what I'd like to do with you. I'd like to hang that six-cylinder brain of yours in the refrigerator and put your heart out on the back steps to flirt with the grocery man. So after you're over being very, very angry with me, will you please write and tell me you love me too?

A Lonesome Irish Girl

Dear Miss Geraldine—I am Oh! so lonesome and homesick. I am a young Irish girl, friendless and alone in the world. I stay at an old lady's house and work for my room and board, but she never speaks to me at all, or even exchanges glances. At school none of the girls will play with me, the reason I don't know. I don't care much about basketball, which is about the only thing they play, but I like someone to speak to. I overheard one of the girls say, "That Irish girl is so superior to us in grade I am really afraid to go with a girl like that, aren't you?" And Jerry, really I'm not. Perhaps they cannot understand me, as my pronunciation of words is quite different, as you know.

Directly I came here all the children crowded around me and made fun of the brogue which is natural to me. By gorry, when Americans come over to Ireland we don't flock around and insult them. Jerry, I'm not speaking against America, but can't you tell me some way to get them to like me? Jerry, there is a boy here, he is but two years older than myself, 16, and he is Irish like myself. He lives right next door to me and takes the same train to school as I do and is in the same grade as I am, but I NEVER had a chance to speak to him. Kindly tell me a way to meet him, Jerry, dear.

"PATTY FROM KILLARNEY."

Dear little Killarney girl, you've made Jerry love you first thing and when Jerry loves, she loves a lot. And Jerry has discovered, too, that boys and girls are cruel little animals—not intentionally so, but because they have been taken care of, kept from trouble, and looked after and they DON'T REALIZE that they are hurting.

That doesn't help the person hurt, but it does help that person to UNDERSTAND, and it does help that person to realize that the hurt was unintentional. Your classmates have grown up among friends, and into their lives comes a strange little girl, whose words are unfamiliar, and who is probably shy and reserved, and because they don't understand her they think she is different and "superior." Go in for basketball, even if you don't like it, just to show them that you are "one of the bunch," that you are not different, and that you want to be friends. Try smiling at the old lady you live with, and Jerry bets the Irish smile will win.

The boy you are interested in—you don't love him, Patty, one bit—sees you in class every day, knows you live next door and don't you think it is up to him to seek an introduction? Jerry doesn't think it is quite necessary for schoolmates to be so formal, though. Don't be sentimental over him, dear, say good-morning, if the opportunity occurs, and don't let your lonesome self run away with your sensible Irish independent spirit and make you act as though you loved him.

Just be sentimental over Jerry. She wants loving HEAPS!

Keeping Company

Dearest Geraldine—I read your column every night and I am going to ask you to help me. I am a girl 20 years old and am keeping company with a young man of 22. We love each other very dearly, but he does not wish to marry until he can give me all the things I used to have. I am at present working, but once had plenty. I know how to save and we wish to marry as soon as possible. He calls to see me and we go to the theater and then go home. He says he is terribly lonesome away from me and I am the same away from him. Please help us and tell us the best thing to do.

YOUR LITTLE PAL BLONDIE.

Bless your hearts, if he is making enough to keep house on, buy clothes and food, get married and then HELP him to get ahead. Don't wait for a bank account, if you love each other, but fight your battles together and take Jerry's love with you.

Geraldine

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DEAR JOE:

I won't go to the extremity of saying that Delia, the new nurse-girl, is a disappointment, but she's certainly a shock. I told you my guiding principle in hiring her in the first place was because she said she was on a diet and I figured that it wouldn't cost me hardly anything for her board, but you know the old saying about the best laid eggs of mice and men, and that's the way it turned out in my case with this new girl.

To make a long story short, Joe, she dieted the first two meals she ate here and right after that she stopped what you might call toying with her nourishment and began to attack it with a viciousness that no lady worthy of the name would of stooped to. My meat and grocery bills are mounting up in a way that's almost undermining my own appetite, but when I call her attention to them in an apparently casual way, she merely makes a pleasant remark about the high costs of living and acts as if she thought I wanted her sympathy instead of her relief.

But she has one thing in her favor that recommends her as a nurse-girl, and that is, she understands babies. She has a way of making the baby stop crying by simply standing and looking at him after all my threats and arguments have failed. She explains it by saying it's hypnotism, but I'm too practical to believe that, Joe. I think it's just a sort of a sixth or seventh sense that she's got if you know what I mean.

I think maybe the baby will actually try to speak pretty soon, Joe. In fact, he knows one word already and he uses it rain or shine. It's goo. I suppose strictly speaking, it's not so much a word as it is a syllable. Anyways, when I say to him, "If you're hungry, say goo, and if you're not, say goo, he always invariably answers me one way or the other. Of course, Joe, it may be only a mere coincidence, but what's the use of looking on the dark side of everything?

Lovingly, TESSIE.

My Heart and Husband

by Adele Garrison

Further Revelations of a Wife.

(Continued from Yesterday)

How Lillian's Prophesy Was Quickly Fulfilled.

As she spoke she was putting together the two pieces of the photograph poor Milly Stockbridge had torn across with such venom.

"'Alice, my thorny sweet rose,'" she quoted softly. "Poor devil! But what in Sam Hill prompted him to leave this around where it could be found? Of course, that wife of his was a fiend incarnate, but this sort of thing was enough to make any perfect lady go Bersek."

"THAT REMINDS ME."

"He didn't dream she ever would see it," I said. "Of course, I do not know this, but I am practically sure that he kept these things in the secret drawer in his desk, and I know that no one was ever allowed to open the desk. It was the merest accident that when he was hastily summoned away that day he left his keys in his office coat, and his wife found them on the visit to the office, which she would not have dared to make if he had been there, when he asked me to get the school record from that desk he had no idea, of course that his wife had been there, and I never told him she had. After her death he asked me to take all the papers from the desk, and gave me direction for opening the secret drawer, but whether he directed me wrongly or I was unusually stupid I do not know. At any rate, I could not find it."

"That reminds me," Lillian spoke quickly. "Allen Drake will be down here in two or three days prepared to make that desk of your friend, the principal, stand on its hind legs and turn somersaults. I suppose you will be able to entertain him here or shall I get Mrs. Durkee to do it?"

"Allen Drake!" I ejaculated.

"Yes, don't you remember I told you he was the white-haired boy who would have to tackle this desk? I saw him when I was in Washington, and he promised me to run down whenever I should need him, only to give him two or three days' notice. I'll wire him tonight to come on."

THE TELEPHONE MESSAGE

The announcement affected me uncomfortably. I did not know, on the whole, whether I was glad or sorry at the prospect of seeing once more the brilliant man who had the faculty of arousing at one time my admiration, my gratitude and my intense dislike. The last day I had seen him he had done my father and me a signal service. But at the same time he had irritated me to exasperation. But, of course, there was only one reply to make to Lillian's suggestion.

"We will entertain him here of course," I said. "Father will be mighty glad to see him again. He is very fond of Allen Drake."

"The feeling is reciprocated," Lillian said. "There is no one whose judgment Allen Drake values more than he does your father's. And now—if you'll just let me mull these over a little."

She was turning the papers before her as she spoke, scrutinizing carefully the superscriptions on the letters, studying the snapshot photographs, of which there were several, going over everything except the letters enclosed in the bundle marked "To be opened only after my death."

As she worked my mind flashed back to a picture called up by her words, the mental photograph of the first time I had seen Allen Drake, when Dicky brought him down for dinner, and the night at the old Brennan house, and he had disclosed to me that he was tracking my father. And now Allen Drake was once again to enter my life. How much water had run under the bridge since that hour!

Lillian's voice recalled me to the present moment of stress.

"It's lucky for Mr. Stockbridge that you had these and that nobody besides our precious friend Jake Wilsey suspects that you have them. He's kept it to himself—I know his breed—hoping to make something on the side out of what he suspects but can't prove. But if the prosecution had these! They sure establish the motive for bumping off a troublesome wife."

"Do you think he will try to see us soon?" I asked tremulously.

"If he doesn't show up by tomorrow at the latest I'll eat—well, anything indigestible you want to name," she retorted.

She didn't have to wait until the morrow. It was a half-hour later that in answer to a telephone ring I heard the voice of Alice Holcombe's mother say:

"Alice said to tell you she was bringing a school man over to see you. They are on their way right now."

As I hurried to Lillian with the news that Alice Holcombe and the man Jake Wilsey were on their way to our house I felt my knees shaking with nervousness, and I had to muster all my strength to keep my voice from trembling as I told my friend of the telephone message from Alice Holcombe's mother.

But the enforced calmness of my voice did not deceive Lillian. She looked at me keenly and spoke crisply:

"Look here, Madge. Are you going to funk this?"

The tone and words were just what I needed. I threw up my head angrily.

"You know I'm not!" I said, my tremors forgotten.

Lillian still continued to look at me, a considering, speculative gaze that made my cheeks flush. By the time she withdrew her eyes I was one hot flame from head to feet, and my terror of Jake Wilsey was swallowed up in the desire to strike that doubting look from Lillian's eyes—the very result which sober reflection a few minutes later told me she had striven for.

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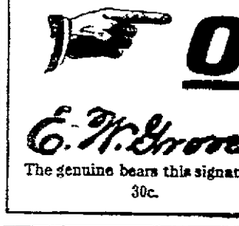

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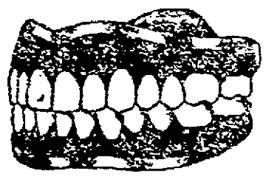

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INFLUENZA NOT TO RETURN THIS YEAR; DR. SMITH

Indications are that there will be no return of any influenza epidemic this winter, according to Dr. Kirby Smith, city health officer

Statistics from the Health Department show no cases reported in ten days. Compared to this time last year, and especially the year before, the contrast is striking, according to the health officials, who say they are satisfied that there will be little of the dread "flu."

Coughs and colds, however, are still popular as a winter scourge and Oakland at present has as many as it ever had, says Dr. Smith

Supervisors Will Install Members

The board of supervisors will meet Monday to reorganize for the coming year and to reinstall in office the members of the body who were elected at the November election. These are Chairman John F. Mullins, fifth district; Redmond C. Staats, fourth district, and Daniel J. Murphy, first district. Staats was appointed two years ago to fill the unexpired term of Fred W. Foss, elected then as county treasurer to succeed M. J. Kelly, who did not make a contest to succeed himself.

Nothing has been announced as to the personnel of the committees, but it is reported that there will be no change in the chairmanship, now held by Mullins.

Son, 73 Years Old, Goes to Visit His Mother Who Is 92

MARTINEZ, Dec. 31.—J. H. Palmer of Gridley is here on a short visit with his son, Constable Chas. H. Palmer, before starting for New Jersey, where he will visit his mother, whom he has not seen in 58 years. Palmer is 73 years old and his mother is 92.

Palmer came to California in 1863 when a mere boy. He settled in Long Bar, Yuba county, where he resided for ten years. He then removed to Gridley, where he has lived since.

WOMEN of Great Eastbay

New Year's Parties in Eastbay Homes

Cards have been received by many for a tea which Mrs Theodore Rethers Jr, who was Miss Adele Chevalier of San Francisco, in compliment to a trio of the debutantes of the winter, the Misses Catherine and Barbara Sesnon and Miss Laura Lindsay Miller from this side of the bay. Many of the younger married set will be guests as well as the younger set for whom the winter has been one round of gaiety after another Mrs Rethers will entertain the afternoon of January 4

On January 7 another of the debutantes to be honored is Miss Frances Lent, for whom Mrs Andrew Welch will give a dancing party.

AT FAIRMONT HOTEL TONIGHT.

Miss Vere de Vere Adams and her sisters, the Misses Schatze and Ernestine Adams, will entertain friends this evening at a New Year's supper at the Fairmont, Mr. and Mrs. George Uhl to chaperon the party. Other guests will be Ensign Harlo Booker, U. S. N., Earl Breck and Herbert Tietzen

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Mr. and Mrs. George Grace and their daughter, Miss Geraldine Grace of the Palace, will spend New Year's at Del Monte where a score of the Eastbay set have motored for the holiday.

Monday evening Miss Grace will give a farewell dinner to a group of Uncle Sam's ensigns now in port her guests to be Miss Vere de Vere Adams, Miss Frances Lent, Mrs Claire Knight and Ensigns Frank McLaury, Oswald Colclough, Louis Beriot and Harton Booker, U. S. N.

RECEPTION TO ENGLISH ADMIRAL.

The reception to Admiral Sir Lewis Bayly, retired, of England, which Captain and Bertrand Price, U. S. N., commandant of Yerba Buena Island and Mrs Price will hold on New Year's day to the distinguished visitor is of interest to many of the elite on both sides of the bay who cross the bay for the affair. Sir Lewis Bayly served in conjunction with Admiral Sims, U. S. N., with the destroyer forces of Queenstown. He is now on a tour of the world

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Mr and Mrs Oscar Sutro with their daughters Barbara and Mary Ann Sutro and son Oscar Sutro Jr, have gone to the Yosemite Valley for a trip to the snow-covered country, to enjoy the beauties of the valley in the height of the season

MOTOR TO MT. DIABLO.

A group of the Piedmont set plan to spend the first day of the New Year at Mt. Diablo Country Club and left yesterday for the attractive spot in the foothills Among those are Mr and Mrs Charles D. Bates Jr Mr and Mrs William Cavalier, Mr and Mrs William Volkmann, Mr and Mrs Harry Mosher and several others

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTIES AT HOME.

The ballroom of the home of Mr. and Mrs Ernest D Porter will be the scene of a smart dance this evening given by the host and hostess for one hundred of their friends from the East side of the bay Supper will be served at midnight. Preceding the dance dinner parties will be given at the homes of Mrs Harry G Miller and Mr and Mrs Harry Smith of Piedmont

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Mr. and Mrs B R Breese are to give a New Year's eve party at their home commemorating the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lynn Hunt Fifty guests have been bidden.

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Mr and Mrs. Arthur McHenry will entertain with a supper party at their home in Calmar avenue, sixteen of the younger set to attend the theater and later return to the McHenry home for supper and dancing.

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Dr. Minora Kibbe was hostess at luncheon recently at her home in Fruitvale Her guests were Miss Lillian Vandergrift and Miss Frances Bordelori of Los Angeles and Miss Minora McCabe and Miss Virginia White of Berkeley

The Misses Vandergrift and Bordelori will enter college next semester

MRS. EVERETT TUBBS GRIMES, a bride who is being entertained by her friends in the bay region.—Boye portrait.

Federation Women to Widen Field

By EDNA B. KINARD.

The old barriers and prejudices are breaking down Lo, here comes the Federation of Women's Clubs to launch a plan to take into membership groups of foreign women and organization of foreign women into groups Reflex of the war is shown in this new effort. An organized attempt to affiliate the foreign groups of women in the Eastbay cities has not yet been made It is learned from San Francisco, that the suggestion has come to the California Federation of Women's Clubs The Foreign Clubs department has been effective in San Francisco City Federation for the past two years

Simply outlined, its work is this: to have personal representatives from the department call upon or meet with the foreign clubs or organizations in existence for the purpose of interesting them in the general woman movement and the federation; to encourage changes in constitutions of the foreign groups where prohibitions are made against federating; to seek representatives of nationalities having no group organizations and take the initiative in founding a woman's club to aid members to establish themselves and become a member of the federation

Regular admissions fee to the federation are dependent upon the financial ability of the foreign group under the plan

A musical is announced for the January program of the Adelphian Club on Thursday by Miss Florence Lutz leader. Miss Louise Runckel, piano and Miss Eleanor Webber, violin Miss Lutz has chosen the Edward Sheluon story, "Romance, the 'Pokey' of Philip Moeller, and Edna Ferber's classic, "April 25th as Usual" The Chopin Fantasie Impromptu is announced as Miss Runckel's offering. Miss Webber will present Mozart's Minuet"

At the Mills Club meeting Thursday in Alumnae Hall, Mrs Walter D Cole, president, has invited Miss Blanche Morse, executive secretary for the board having in charge the establishment of the Industrial Farm for Women, to speak of that undertaking. Early in the spring the institution situated in the midst of one of the fertile agricultural districts in Sonoma county will receive its first temporary inmates. The industrial farm was sponsored by the organized women of the state who frankly lobbied the bill successfully through the state legislature

The fun fest is not to be permitted to crowd out all serious matters when the Fruitvale Woman's Club meets Thursday next to celebrate the New Year's party. Municipal affairs, Fruitvale affairs, reforms in jury systems which might make justice surer are claiming the interest of the members Mrs Frank G. Law, president of the California Civic League and pleader for amendments to the old jury laws; Mrs. Bessie Wood Gustason, chairman of the municipal committee, Oakland Civic Center, and W. E. Gibson, prominent in the Dimond Improvement Club will be the speakers Mrs D. C Golden, president, will preside as chairman of program.

Cyclists Eager for Big Run Tomorrow

With final arrangements completed today, everything is in readiness for the annual endurance run of the Oakland Motorcycle club tomorrow. A number of racing stars have been in town for several days and have practiced on the course to Lakeport so as to lose no time by getting on the wrong road. Checkers left today for Petaluma, Healdsburg, Ukiah and Lakeport in order to prepare the checking stations for the riders The checkers for the remainder of the course will start early tomorrow.

The Richmond-San Rafael ferry has reserved space on the 7 a. m. boat for the thirty or more machines entered in the run, as the time of starting from Point San Quentin requires that all contestants make the first boat. Moving picture cameras will be on hand to record the departure of the tourists on the record run Riders who have been over the roads of Lake county this week report that the roads are still muddy from the recent rain and that perfect scores will be very few

The endurance run will end in Oakland at The TRIBUNE building, the first rider being scheduled to check in under the Big Clock at 7 p m.

Gas Co. Employees Form Association

At a meeting last night of the Pacific Service Employees Association, employees of the Pacific Gas and Electric company's Eastbay division organized a local section of the association

The organization has for its purpose social educational and welfare work. Through the association there has been established a death benefit plan by which the dependents of deceased members receive immediate substantial financial aid A circulating library has also been organized and perfected, as well as the establishing of a loan fund from which members in need of financial assistance may borrow.

The officers who will handle the new branch of the association for the ensuing year are, W. W. Shuhan chairman J. C. Powden vice-chairman, and W. O Stephens secretary-treasurer

Body of Ax Victim Is Found in Creek

MARYSVILLE Dec. 31.—With three ax wounds in the head, the body of John Jenkin yesterday was found covered with straw and brush in the bed of a little creek some 500 yards back of the tent occupied by Fred Meisner and Andrew Kuykendall, accused of his murder. Coroner J. K. Kelly, Sheriff C. J. Wolfe and District Attorney Ray Morrow of Yuba county discovered the body. They were assisted in the search by Jose Pedro, comrade of the murdered man

Coroner Kelly declared that the wounds probably had been inflicted while Jenkin was asleep

The murder occurred on the ranch of James Cremin state printer probably Tuesday night, according to Pedro, who told the officers today that both Meisner and Kuykendall had told him they had killed Jenkin in revenge for former insults

FRUIT RATE REHEARING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 31 The Interstate Commerce Commission announced a hearing in San Francisco on January 11 on the shipment privilege on fruit and vegetables.

COUPLE HURT AS CAR HITS BUGGY

Bert E. Dodge, a gardener employed by the department of city parks, residing at 3320 Hopkins street, and Mrs. Dodge, are in the county hospital today, suffering from slight injuries received in an automobile accident on the Castro Valley road, early this morning.

They were injured when their automobile collided with another machine and sustained bruises and minor lacerations.

Driving his machine on the Castro Valley road, Dodge attempted to pass a horse and buggy moving along in front of him The vehicle made it impossible for him to see another car, which was coming in the opposite direction. As Dodge's auto turned to the center of the road to avoid the buggy it crashed into the other car.

The fact that both machines were being driven at a low rate of speed was responsible for the accident not being serious, it was said Both automobiles were partially wrecked.

A passing machine took Dodge and his wife to the county hospital The occupants of the other car were uninjured.

Following his collision with a telegraph pole on Fifty-fifth street last night, Edward Brannigan, an automobile salesman, was being held today charged with driving an automobile while intoxicated. The machine was so deeply imbedded in the pole that it required a derrick to remove it Driving behind Brannigan D. N. Rhyne, 2036 Lee street, saw the car going toward the pole and swerved his car into an empty lot It turned completely over. Neither of the men were hurt.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Cyril H. Dubovich, aged 23 and Eleanor H. Harron, aged 22, both of Oakland.

Marvin M Wicker, 22, San Francisco, and Lucle M. Fourmet, 19, Oakland

Walter H. Stewart, 38, and Jennie M McLean, 37, both of Oakland

Milton O. Peterson, 25, and Johanna Visbach, 18, both of Oakland

Earl Risedorph, 22, Alameda, and Sara Antonuccio 22, Oakland

Justin Repose, 26, and Mary M. Enos, 20, San Leandro

Raymond A Richards, 28, and Rose M. Emerece, 30, both of Richmond

Robert P. Davis, 24, and Mileo Connelly, 20, both of Oakland

Robert E. Bell, 21, and Margaret E. Hayes, 18, both of Oakland.

Delphus A. McVay, 40, and Hannah Clement, 40, both of Pittsburg.

Louis Grage, 24, and Vida R Holden, 18, both of Oakland

Chin Sing, 29, and Anna Louie, 18, both of Oakland.

Gabriel J. Ticulat, 22, and Theresa P. Gelhaus, 21, both of Oakland

Merle A. Gostlin, 31, and Pearl M. Hutchinson, 32, both of Oakland.

Charles R. Murry, 28, and Jennie M. Carlson, 26, both of Alameda

Albert Stagnaro, 21, Alameda and Rita C. Anderson, 21, San Francisco.

Charles H. Meyer, 21, and Mabel F. Towner, 21, both of Oakland.

Milton B. Heisner, 21, and Lucille M. Stillwagen, 20, both of Berkeley.

Benjamin F. Hurlbert, 66, Hayward, and Eugenie C. Adams, 57, Alameda

James C. Hart, 18, and Evelyn E Allen, 17, both of Merced.

Myron A. Johnson, 30, and Goldie M. Robinson, 23, both of Oakland

Thomas Heinatz, 27, and Ida San toro, 21, both of Oakland.

Arthur E Wassman, 31, and Georgia Jones, 28, both of Oakland.

William Vogel, 23, Berkeley, and Grace Rendsburg, 22, Oakland

IN SAN FRANCISCO

Frank Ormand, 27, Oakland, and Alma Webber, 23, Piedmont.

BIRTHS

AVERY—To the wife of Franklin L. Avery, a son, Dec. 26

AUCHARD—To the wife of Lewis R. Auchard, a son, Dec 29

BLAKE—To the wife of Arcie E Blake a female, Dec. 25.

BREED—To the wife of Horace H. Breed, a daughter Dec 27

CARPER—To the wife of Ira E. Carper, a daughter, Dec. 17.

CAMMACK—To the wife of Thomas W. Cammack, a son and a daughter, Dec 23

DAHL—To the wife of August Dahl, a daughter, Dec 29

HUFFERT—To the wife of George F. Huffert, a daughter, Dec 17

MARLATT—To the wife of James Marlatt, a son, Dec 28

NOSCHKA—To the wife of Charles F. Noschka, a daughter Dec 25

PAYNE—To the wife of William Arthur Payne, a daughter, Dec 27.

PETERSON—To the wife of Robert Peterson, a daughter, Dec 28

RILEY—To the wife of Patrick H Riley, a daughter, Dec 23.

SMITH—To the wife of Russell Smith, a daughter, Dec. 25.

SCOTT—To the wife of S. Cuyler Scott, a son, Dec 27

TIMPKINS—To the wife of DeRonde Timpkins, a son, Dec 23

WARD—To the wife of Percy Ward, a daughter Dec 28

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DEATHS

CAMP — In this city, December 31, 1920, George B. Camp, Jr., beloved son of Mr and Mrs George Camp, brother of Mrs. Edith Wilson and Mrs. Ruby Behrens, a native of Ohio, aged 19 years

Remains at the chapel of Grant D Miller, 2372 E. 14th street.

GREEN—In this city, December 30, 1920, Col. Robert Moore Green, of Oroville, husband of Laura H Green, late a member of Sherman Post, G. A. R., and the Masonic bodies of Oroville, and the I. O. O. F. of Ohio, a native of Cambridge, Ohio, aged 74 years

Funeral services Monday, in Oakland Notice of time and place later. Friends may call at Albert Brown Co., 554 13th street

LARUE—In this city, December 29, 1920, Louise J., widow of the late Luke Larue, mother of Cyrus Larue, Mrs H F Deaner and Mrs. George L Doolan, grandmother of Florence Alberta De Hart, Chester Walton Larue and Robert Vernon Larue, a native of Michigan, aged 73 years 8 months and 16 days

PARDINI—In this city, Dec 29, 1920, Guiseppe darly beloved husband of Elelica Pardini, devoted father of Peter, Amelia and Adolfo Pardini Mrs Giuseppe Chicca, Mrs Elvira Monconi, a native of Italy, aged 48 years and 5 months

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Saturday, January 1, 1921, at 2 o'clock p m from the parlors of Cunha & Caporgno, 952 Eighth street, thence to St Joseph's for blessing Interment St Mary's Cemetery.

SWARS—In Oakland, December 30, 1920, William J Swars Jr., beloved son of William J. and Gertrude Marie Swars and brother of Louis Richard Swars; a native of Oakland, California, aged 2 months, 11 days

Funeral services were held this (Friday) afternoon at 3:30 p m from the residence chapel of the Truman Undertaking Co., Telegraph ave at Thirtieth st

WILLIAMS—In this city, Dec. 29, 1920, Mrs. Nellie Williams (widow) a native of England, aged 62 years

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, Monday Jan 3, 1921, at the chapel of the California Crematory, 4499 Piedmont ave at 2:30 o'clock p m Mrs Williams may be seen at the parlors of Freeman & Roach & Kenney Co., 2630 Telegraph ave.

SAN FRANCISCO DEATHS

Berthoff, Henry F.—42
Callahan, John J.
Coakley, Annie.
Dorr, Mamie C.
Flood, Patrick—80
Haines, Francis—90
Hart, Francis—90
Hart, Julia—71
Heikkeen, John—40
McMahel, [illegible]
Ingola, George—68
[illegible]
Rotherat, John T.—[illegible]
Sweet, Ellen
[illegible], Henry [illegible]
Reuter, Frances T.
[illegible], Guy, 24
[illegible], Jane
Sherman, Joseph—26
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USED CAR WEEK, BUYER'S CHANCE

By JIM HOULIHAN

When the motor car dealers announced that during the period, January 2 to 9, they were to combine in presenting what they term Used Car Week, the most welcome bit of news was given out which has reached the ears of non-active prospective automobile buyers, most of whom have been holding back until the time they believed it would be possible to buy used automobiles at a cheaper price.

Nearly all of the motor car dealers have used cars on hand which they want to sell, in order to get their business in shape to handle the huge new car business that comes with warm weather and the reopening of roads in spring

The dealers will remove new cars from their salesrooms and concentrate on used cars during next week It is a definite movement and extends up and down the "Row."

The automobile men here who sell new cars, do not buy used cars. They take them in as part payment on new cars, and this is the only way they handle them.

These used cars are put through the shops, repainted, worn out parts replaced and the models put into first class condition. Many of the dealers guarantee these cars, just as they do new ones, after they have been thus overhauled

The motor car business is peculiar in one respect and that is the dealers are happy if they can operate their used car departments without a heavy loss There is little profit in this end of the business

This clearance sale is similar to the "white sales" that are being held in many department stores

The men who sell automobiles want to clear their decks for action and move the stock

Prices have been slashed in a good many instances and every establishment is offering high motor car values at low cost

It is an ideal time to get a car.

Complete details of the "used car week" will be printed in next Sunday's TRIBUNE.

Clothing Recovered; Woman Is Arrested

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Police have recovered several hundred dollars' worth of alleged stolen clothing since they arrested Mrs. Vivian McDonald, 25 years old, in a hotel at 545 Turk street last night Some of the loot was in a rooming house near 1900 O'Farrell street

The police claim that Mrs. McDonald has acted as "decoy" for a crew of hotel robbers. With her when arrested was John McDonald, her husband, and Miss Rose Barth. Two others, men, are being sought.

That she made the acquaintance of other guests and prepared the way for the robberies as alleged is denied by the McDonald woman.

The loot found at 545 Turk street, was clothing taken from two girl guests of the house.

"Hip" Parties Will Be Watched For by U. S. Dry Agents

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31—The birth of 1921 will be celebrated here tonight with the usual noise-making devices by celebrants parading the streets, but it is predicted the hotels, cafes and restaurants will be quiet compared with former years.

Hotels and cafes reported all reservations taken, although the word has been given out that "hip" parties will not be permitted. This will be the first "bone dry" New Year's Eve that San Francisco has ever known.

Federal prohibition agents have been instructed to mingle with the crowds. More parties will be given in private residences this year than ever before because of the notice of the prohibition agents.

FRAUD CHARGED TO RELIGIOUS SECT

DENVER, Dec. 31 —Charging that the Pillar of Fire, a religious organization of nation-wide scope, of which Alma White of Bound Brook, N. J., is founder, had alienated the affections of his wife and defrauded him of his property, Rev Thomas A. Goode a former member of the organization, has filed suit in the District Court for $100,000 damages.

Goode makes the following charges:

"That Alma White, through fraud and deceit, practiced on her followers and the public, has amassed a fortune of $1,000,000.

"That she requires all her followers to turn over to her all of their money and property and give their entire time to services in her behalf.

"That she acquires and maintains a hypnotic influence over the members of the organization and keeps them in absolute subjection by threats that, through her prayers, she will call down flames of fire upon them."

CITY TO HAVE SAFETY COUNCIL

Organization of the Oakland Safety Council, now in a tentative stage, will crystalize into permanency on January 14 at a public mass meeting which has been called by temporary officers.

The objects of the organization which, as soon as it is operating, will be to affiliate with the National Safety Council movement, and co-operate with and supplement the work of municipal authorities in rendering safe the streets of Oakland both for pedestrians and vehicles and to co-operate with and assist industrial concerns in the prevention of casualties in their plants.

At the meeting on January 14 a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and nine directors will be elected.

It is the plan when the organization is perfected to engage in an educational campaign in respect to traffic rights and regulations and to seek such remedial traffic legislation as may be needed.

The promoters of the organization now include Stuart Morrow, who is temporary treasurer; H. D. Weber, secretary to Mayor Davie; W. D. Edwards, safety engineer at Moore's Shipbuilding company.

Information regarding plans can be obtained from these or H. C. Petray of the Oakland public schools; Walter Hesse of the Automobile Trade Association and I. H. Spiro of the Merchants' Exchange.

Contra Costa Club Plans New Year Hike

The Contra Costa Hills club will combine a New Year's call on the Lake Merritt ducks with a farewell visit to the subdivision-doomed wildwood of Trestle Glen next Sunday morning on their six-mile stroll across the Piedmont hills to Lake Temescal. Starting at 10 a. m. from the bandstand in Lakeside park, they will be led through the shore-congregating ducks by Miss Birdie Pilcher, secretary of the Romany club. At this early hour the ducks are more easily approached as they are preoccupied in preening their plumage and preparing to receive their thousands of Sunday visitors.

Visitors will be welcomed as usual on this personally-conducted excursion.

RELIEF OF POLAND

The annual Christmas entertainment given by the Polish Catholic Ladies' Society will be held on Sunday at 6 p. m., in Young Men's Institute building, 50 Oak street. The proceeds of this entertainment will go towards the relief of Poland's war sufferers.

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Because of its concentrated form, California Poppy Skim Milk can be used as a substitute for eggs It will make an eggless mayonnaise dressing of superior quality. By a liberal use of the powder in mixing cakes, eggs can be dispensed with.

You can make a delicious beverage from California Poppy Skim Milk by using a little more of the powder than usually. Reduced to the consistency of cream, it can be used on cereals or in beverages It makes wonderful chocolate To obtain sour milk, you allow it to stand in a warm place for a few hours Excellent artificial buttermilk can be made by the use of Ferment Tablets (sold by druggists). Cottage cheese may also be made from it.

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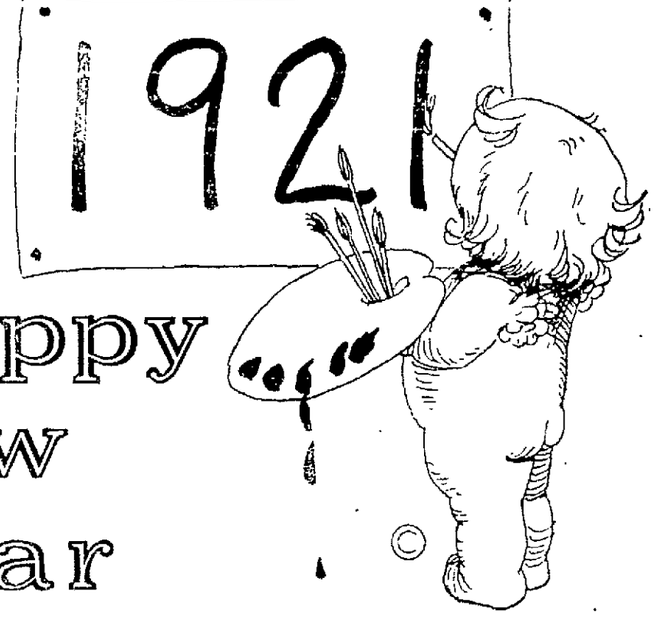

A Happy New Year

The coming New Year is a great unworked field calling for the best thought of the nation's highest minds, and the utmost courage and industry in its tilling.

No longer should the nation's ills be poulticed. It is a time for splendid healing by processes of justice and brotherhood.

We are in no ways downcast over the business outlook, but entertain a profound optimism that industrial adjustments will take place in a much less period than anticipated.

This is the one hundred and forty-fifth New Year's Day since the Declaration of Independence. When we consider how our country has held steadfast and never failed to advance in the face of any obstacles, so will our good Ship of State ride safely to port over the present troubled waves put in motion by the war.

The new era of business endeavor being ushered in holds a more universal interest, since all the countries of the world are involved in the great rebuilding. Mutual aid, co-operation and a sympathy that leads to helpful acts are the foundation stones on which to start the new world structure.

Let's all set a high mark for ourselves and for our country in 1921—and then climb up to it.

We wish a Happy and Prosperous New Year to all

RIVAL COACHES REFUSE TO DIVULGE LINE-UPS FOR BIG GAME

JOHNSTON AND TILDEN RECOVER HISTORIC DAVIS TENNIS CUP FROM THE AUSTRALIAN TEAM

TENTATIVE PERSONNEL LEAVES OHIO WITHOUT WILLAMAN AND BLAIR

Nisbit Continues to Show Wonderful Form—Is Smith's Selection to Open Game at Back

By DOUG MONTELL
(Special to The TRIBUNE)

PASADENA, Dec. 31.—With the two "wonder" teams, California and Ohio, ready for the inter-sectional game here tomorrow it would take a "wonder" man to pick the winner. That's how evenly the teams are matched. The athletes wound up their training yesterday and are both setting pretty awaiting the clash that will decide the East vs. West championship. The secret stuff has been played to a fare-ye-well. Ohio returned to town last night after two days of hide-and-seek and Coach Dr. Wilce announced that his men were ready to give California a real battle. The Buckeyes finished their training with an hour's stuff workout at Tournament Park, but where they did their preliminary work only Wilce and the players know. Prof. Andrew Smith, the U. C. coach, didn't let Wilce get away with anything in the way of secret stuff. Andy was so close about where his lads were training and what they were doing that part of the entourage got lost yesterday while headed for an unknown destination.

Professor Smith knew where he was going but the players didn't. They got orders to follow the coach's machine and when Andy's chauffeur speeded up some of the autos lost the trail and the players met Smith and his party coming back. The day before Assistant Coach Rosenthal was a bit tardy reporting at the hotel and the team left without him. Boles didn't know where they went and nobody could supply him with the information so he remained here all day.

Coaches Refuse to Announce Line-Up.

When the team returned yesterday Smith was asked where he had been and what the athletes had accomplished.

"Just out for a little ride," said Andrew.

But the football players were tired out. They showed signs of having undergone one of the stiffest workouts of the training period but they wouldn't admit it. They had their orders to keep mum and let Smith do the talking and they followed instructions to the letter.

However the hide-and-seek stuff is at an end. The players are taking matters easy today while thousands of fans from other parts are vainly hunting for tickets for the big game. Many machines arrived from Berkeley last night and the Bruins will have a large rooting section. Ohio alumni will also be on the job, augmented by local fans who will lend their vocal encouragement to the visiting Buckeyes.

Maybe the coaches know the line-ups for tomorrow but they won't tell.

"Absolutely impossible to give any lineup today," said Prof. Smith in reply to a question.

Doctor Wilce said that in all probability the regular Ohio eleven would start the game with Bliss replacing Blair at right halfback. He refused to discuss the condition of Williamson who has been reported injured. Other than that he would get into the game. Ohio men believe the following players will start: Myers and Slyker, ends; Huffman and Spiers, tackles; Trott and J. Taylor, guards; Nemecek, center; Hoge Workman, quarterback; Stinchcomb and Bliss, halfbacks; C. Taylor, fullback. The California lineup is even more in doubt and Coach Smith refuses any announcement. The general opinion is that Andy will start Muller and Berkey, ends; Dean and McMillan, tackles; Majors and Cranmer, guards; Latham, center; Erb, quarterback; Toomey and Sprott, halfbacks; Nisbit, fullback.

Coach Price admitted that Berkey is not in the best of shape and hinted that Stephens was a possible last minute selection. Nisbit has been going better than Morrison and is the likely fullback selection.

Pasadena Fans Like Chances of Ohio.

Both teams are on edge for the big game with Ohio State becoming a stronger favorite among the local fans. They rate Ohio line better football followers as the game draws near. They rate Ohio line better than Bruins, although from what has been seen of the two there is little difference in weight and California has opposed heavier teams during the season and opened holes. The game will be won and lost in lines and if it is true that California cannot pierce the Buckeye line Ohio is due to win. Ohio line plays high and California low. If the Bears go with fast charge the chances favor good gains on line plays. Ohio always hopes for last minute aerial attack to pull a game from the fire and uses trick plays during the game to get the lead. Both lines are free from injuries but the Ohio offensive strength is greatly reduced by backfield injuries.

The forward pass is now the only certain weapon to gain, especially if Willaman and Blair do not play. According to the experts the game is the most impossible to dope of the season.

If Andy Smith is able to start the same lineup as given here the Bruins appear to have the advantage both on offense and defense by a slight margin. It is still even money and take your pick on the outcome.

BUCKEYES LOOM UP AS DANGEROUS OPPONENTS

The upper picture shows the Ohio State team tearing down the field. On the left is Pete Stinchsomb, the star of the Buckeye line up and considered one of the greatest football players in America. The learned-looking gentleman in the center is Dr. Wilce, mentor of the athletes and originator of the secret system of training. Nemeck, the delicate little center of the Ohio outfit, is on the right. When this little chap attains his growth he should be a big help to his folks. Right now he is only six feet three inches from the ground up and weighs but 203 pounds.

Coaches Make Statements

(By Dr. WILCE, OHIO STATE)

"No football game is won until the last whistle is blown. I have brought out a team that is the best in the middlewest. I believe the folks back home who are proud of the high standard of middlewest football will also be proud of Ohio State's showing here."

(By ANDY SMITH, CALIFORNIA)

"The California team has been three years in its making. It has now reached its top form. I have great respect for football as played in the middlewest, but after tomorrow's game I believe the American public will find Pacific Coast methods are the equal of any used in any other part of the country."

SCALPERS ARE ASKING BIG PRICES FOR GAME TICKETS

PASADENA, Dec. 31.—While the rival football teams are taking it easy today—physically, at least—the public is more excited than ever over the outcome of the big gridiron clash.

People are rushing around, hoping against hope that somewhere, somehow, they will be able to find tickets, despite the fact that all of them, except 2500 to be put on sale when the gates open tomorrow were sold before they were printed. The people might just as well search for diamonds on the pavement, for what few tickets that will not be used by their present possessors are held by scalpers at exorbitant rates.

The betting fever, too, is at its height. Odds favor Ohio, 10 to 7 and 8 to 5 being offered on the Buckeyes. Sports editors of Los Angeles and Pasadena newspapers, however, declare "the Bears by all rights should be victors." "If ever a football team looked like a winner," writes C. A. Bruckman, sporting editor of the Los Angeles Examiner, "it is the California outfit."

"Ohio has shown nothing to give it a chance against the California team," writes Harry A. Williams, sports writer of the Los Angeles Times.

Rumors of injuries to leading players in both squads and especially in Ohio's continue to circulate, but as one football expert said, "it is sometimes wise to take these."

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Ohio Favored at the Odds of Ten to Eight

PASADENA, Cal., Dec. 31.—With both teams in the pink of condition as a result of the careful practice they have undergone this week and with every possible detail of the arrangements worked out, all was in readiness today for tomorrow's great inter-sectional football game here between Ohio State and the University of California elevens.

Up to this morning the betting was said to have been at 10 to 8 and 10 to 9 odds in favor of Ohio. With the arrival of a small army of rooters and students from Berkeley tonight and tomorrow morning, these odds are expected to be beaten down to at least even.

The question of tomorrow's weather is a big factor. Both Coaches Wilce and Smith are hoping for a nice, bright day with a fast, dry field where snappy open style playing can be used. If the field is wet and heavy the contest will necessarily be a slow one.

Neither of the coaches is making extravagant claims. Both have great respect for the showing of their respective squads. Both apparently expect a close battle.

PATTERSON, BROOKS ARE SOUNDLY BEATEN IN DOUBLE MATCHES

AUCKLAND, N. Z., Dec. 31. Australasia lost her tennis laurels here this afternoon before the strength and craft of American challengers. The Davis Cup, the trophy emblematic of the world's team tennis championship, changed hands when the last ball in the tenth game of the fourth set was driven out of the court. This is the fourth time America has won the cup. Australasia has won it six times, while the British Isles have been triumphant on five occasions.

Rallying after losing the first set of today's doubles matches, William T. Tilden II of Philadelphia and William M. Johnston of San Francisco revealed the same tennis that aerried them gloriously through the singles matches yesterday. Norman E. Brooks and Gerald F. Patterson, the Australasian masters of the game, fought desperately to stem the tide of defeat, but were outplayed clearly by the Yankees. The match was a brilliant contest—an epic in the history of the game played under a sky bright with the sun of southern summer. The challengers lost the first set 4 to 6 and won the three remaining sets, 6-4, 6-0 and 6-4.

The value of the service was demonstrated in the first set which began in splendid fashion. The server carried off his game until each side had three to its credit and then Brookes and Patterson won the next two. The ninth game, hinted at weakness on the Australian side of the net for Brookes and Patterson failed to make a point but the defenders came back in the tenth and won the game and set.

In this set Patterson showed a complete reversal of his form yesterday and played in excellent style, contrasting strangly with Brookes who seemed to tire. Johnston appeared to be slow and failed at critical moments to follow up his service.

When the Americans won on Brookes' service at "three all" in the second set, the power of the Yankee pair became apparent. They followed by winning two straight and after losing one game in the set, in the later games of this set Johnston's volleying was superb while Brookes was erratic.

In the third Johnston never missed a point in the struggle and he and Tilden dominated the court, carrying the attack to their opponents every step of the way. Brookes muffed some apparently easy shots while Patterson reverted to the medley of errors he committed in the singles on Thursday. Tilden was in deep purpose to lead his Johnston and the Americans won the right to victory without losing a single game.

The Americans gained a big advantage at the opening of the fourth set by winning the first game on Patterson's service. Then Johnston and Brookes served and won. Tilden lost his service but Patterson lost his. Tilden and Johnston then went ahead and needed but one game for the set when Brookes won his service game on his service, and the applause of the great crowd. Johnston, Tilden and Johnston then went through with a wonderfully served game, which was savagely met by the Australians who were now playing desperately. The game set at "all" when Brookes scored with a fine smash and it seemed the defenders would be able to weather the storm. Brookes however, was beaten by the next served ball, returning it across the base line. With that ball went possession of the Davis cup.

OAKS SIGN LANE SHULTIS, ANOTHER PRODUCT OF THE TRIBUNE LEAGUE

By EDDIE MURPHY.

Now that Carl Holling has been disposed of by the Oaks to the Detroit Tigers, and Buz Arlett is no longer classed as a recruit, but one of the best chuckers in the Coast League, there is room on the local club for some other local youngster to break in as a pitching sensation. For some seasons passed, the Oaks have carried a local favorite on their pitching staff, and fans are wondering who the new sensation will be if there is to be one found at all. Maybe it will be Lane Shultis, the crack young right hander of the Halton-Didiers of Alameda. This lad Shultis has a grand chance to land the position, for he has signed an Oakland contract, and President J. Cal Ewing who talked the Alameda kid into affixing his signature, promised him every chance to make good.

Since the close of the Coast league season Ewing, Joe Howard and Herbie McPhee were after Shultis to sign an Oak contract and it was only after hearing the advice of his uncle, Ed Heisler, the Alameda baseball authority, that Lane decided to sign. Heisler offered no opinion over the contract, was satisfied that his nephew was in good hands and one of the best propositions in the bushes, yet breaking in could wait for, and in spite of contracts offered by several other clubs he told Shultis to sign with the Oaks.

Shultis Has a Fine Record in Bushes.

The Oakland club owners have watched the work of Shultis ever since he started performing with the Halton-Didiers about two years ago and they must have thought quite a bit of him as Cal Ewing, Joe Howard and Heisler spent days with him in order to get his signature. Shultis is not quite as large as the average pitcher breaking into the Coast league but while chucking last summer and this year in the class A division of The TRIBUNE Midwinter league he was down the stuff that should entitle him to a [illegible] with Ewing [illegible] him his outright release should he fail to make good with the Oaks or if he doesn't care to go to a team with which Ewing might be able to farm him. Before joining the Halton-Didiers Shultis performed with the Money Back Smiths, Allendale Merchants and Mare Island Marines. But it was at Alameda where Shultis attracted attention. He pitched fine ball all summer, and one time went ten games without meeting a defeat. Many of his wins were by shutouts. The Stockton and Pittsburg teams were whitewashed by him, twenty of the latter team being fanned in nine innings.

In the TRIBUNE league Shultis has pitched four games, winning three of them and pitching a 1 to 1 tie against the Best Tractors last Sunday. Two of the games were won by shutouts.

There are many pitching prospects performing in The TRIBUNE class A league. Yesterday we told of Emerson McNally and Carl Schnell of the Crystals, Johnny Gillespie and Fred Connel of the Coast Tire, and Dutch Ross and Paris Littlisbach of the California Cotton Millers.

Connel, Gillespie Are Two Corking Chuckers.

Now we take Phil Koerner's chuckers on the Coast Tire and Rubber Co team. Phil has three on his staff—Fred Connel, the Modesto youngster; Johnny Gillespie and Fodder Dolan. Dolan is the veteran of the trio, and beyond the age of the kind of chuckers the scouts are looking over, but just the same he cotton is on hand every winter and summer to fool the best batters in the semi-pros. Still it was only last spring that he had offers from several clubs in organized ball and turned them down.

For the past two seasons several clubs in the Coast league have tried to sign Gillespie to a contract, but they couldn't get very much satisfaction out of the Tech high lad. They call him "Silent Johnny" at school, and the name fits him well when it comes to his talking of signing baseball contracts. He had his best period of pitching with the Tractors last winter after illness took a hand and was some time in recovering his old form. He is going great for the Tire boys again and it was only last Sunday that he shut out the Crystal Laundry team. Again the scouts are seeking him, and if he has any intention at all to enter professional ranks he will do wise to sign after this winter while the big offers will be coming his way.

As for Fred Connell he is already signed to a Portland contract. Walter McCredie got him some time ago, and the kid looks like he has the stuff to get him by with fellows like McCredie, who is there in developing young pitchers. Fred made two starts in the local winter league and each one showed that he had the goods.

Tractors Have a Good Left, Right Hander.

The C. L. Best Tractors at San Leandro have three chuckers on their staff. They are Gene Caldera a southpaw, Heinie Lay and Alex Remington, right handers. Remington hasn't had much chance to show his wares since joining the Tractors, as Caldera and Lay have been doing all the chucking and turning in wins to the satisfaction of Manager Bill Wagner. Caldera has had several trials in the Coast league but is due to take another chance at making the grade next summer as Bill Rennworthy of Seattle has been dickering with him, and Gene promised that he would give the Seattle boss first chance. Joe Devine of Calgary is also flashing a fat contract at Gene so being turned down on his first couple of trials in the Coast league is no worry in Gene's young life. Gene is still a youngster and scouts and baseball fans are looking forward to a day when he will make his way into professional ranks to stick.

Heinie Lay is another who had a trial in professional ball before but since that time he has improved wonderfully and offers to step into faster company are again coming his way. Heinie's main trouble before was wildness, but he has overcome all of that and he is also a more experienced man. Lay was the strikeout king in the local bushes last summer. The Tractors played thirty-five games last summer and lost but six, Lay getting credit for more than two dozen wins. He ran up a string of fourteen straight wins.

The Alameda Beth team is the only one lacking a good class A prospect, as they have Lyall Sinclair, an old-time Oak, and Bill Steengraffe, a coming southpaw, but who is not likely to graduate for another season or two.

Two Contests Tomorrow at Alameda Lot

Double Header to Be Staged by Class "B" Boys at Lincoln Park.

To a few managers of teams in the class B division of The TRIBUNE Midwinter league, the sporting fans can be thankful that there is any program at all scheduled for the holiday tomorrow, in the Eastbay. No class A games will be played as expected a week ago, but again it is the Alameda fans who are the lucky ones. Frank Bethel, manager of the Modern Woodmen, "Shorty" Hinds of the Central Oakland Merchants, and Jack "Doc" Silvey of the Espees got their heads together a couple of nights ago, and decided that the best way, if any, to pull the Melrose Merchants from the top of the "B" ladder was for them to have their teams play all the games possible. The result is that their teams will get into action tomorrow afternoon at Lincoln Park in Alameda and put on a double set of games for the fans to watch.

The Espees have postponed games to play with the Woodmen and Central Oakland Merchants, and they will be the ones reeled off tomorrow afternoon starting at 12:30, of course barring wet weather. The espees are training the league leading Melrose Merchants by two full games, and a double win for them tomorrow would mean somewhat of a gain on the leaders.

The Central Oakland Merchants will be the first to tackle the railroad boys who have been making a great fight to overcome the lead of the leaders. Manager Shorty Hinds of the Central Oaks expects to start Andy Brown in the box, and will have Tim Buckley, the Pittsburg star, in reserve. Willie Schmidt will most likely start in the box for the Espees in the first game leaving George Kister ready to work against the Modern Woodmen in the second game. Manager Frank Bethel of the Woodmen will use Zierau or Land against the railroaders.

President Fred L. Krumb has promised to be on hand and assist the little fellows in the collection from the fans. All three clubs participating in the games tomorrow are traveling ones in the class B league, and managers of the clubs are hoping that the fans will be feeling generous, as it will help their players to make up for what they didn't get while the home clubs were making fine rakings. Zimmerman has been appointed to handle the two games.

Fans Showing Much Interest In "A" Race

The playing of the games tomorrow will have no effect on the regular Sunday schedule in the class B league. The playing of double-headers in the class A league last Sunday brought the race to a stage where the fans are showing big interest in it. For awhile Jupiter Pluvius caused the fans to forget the bushers entirely, but they are sure getting plenty of attention now. The rac for the class A flag is the greatest of any TRIBUNE league on in midseason and there is no indication of a shakeup for places until the very last.

Halton-Didiers to register an easy win over the Alameda Bethlehems at Lincoln park next Sunday, you will find that there are many fans who are predicting the same fate for the Halton-Didiers as the Melrose Merchants met when they went against the Allendale Merchants, leaders in the class B race. The [illegible] in the cellar, and it is usually [illegible] of that kind that spills the dope. Club [illegible] announced last evening that [illegible] intends to pitch Lane Shultis next Sunday, while Charley Pruiett is figuring on using Lyall Sinclair.

Millers, Crystals To Meet At Coast Park

It is likely that the double-umpire system will be worked for the first time Sunday at the Coast League park, where the California Cotton Millers will entertain the Crystal Laundry nine. This game is figured as the big attraction of the day because of the position of those clubs in the race, and it is the idea of several managers that two umpires be used in these important games like these John Carroll is to be the regular indicator man, working behind the plate, while Joe Devine or Pat Kilhullen will work on the bases. Emerson McNally for the Crystals, and "Dutch" Rock for the Millers will do the chucking.

Out at the San Leandro ball park, the C. L. Best Tractors will meet the Coast Tire and Rubber team. This promises to be another tight game, with a half game separating them in the race. Johnny Gillespie, last winter a star in the Tractor pitching staff, will work for the Tire boys, while Heinie Lay or Caldera will do the honors for the Tractors.

The schedule of games in the Class B and C divisions for Sunday are as follows:

CLASS B DIVISION

Lee Bertillion Hatters vs. Modern Woodmen at Key System park.

Allendale Merchants vs. Espees at Allendale playground.

Hayward Natives vs. Peet Bros. Soap Co. at Hayward.

Elmhurst Merchants vs. Central Oakland Merchants at Elmhurst.

Melrose Merchants vs. Crystal Laundry Juniors at Melrose.

CLASS C DIVISION

C. L. Best Cruisers vs. R. W. Tutt Hardware at Elmhurst.

Melrose Athletic Club vs. Andresien All Stars at Melrose.

Grove St. Tigers vs. Fruitvale Outlaws at Hawthorne Playgrounds, East Oakland.

Best Steel Casting Co. vs. Yankee All Stars at Thrasher Park, San Leandro.

Battling Nelson to Referee in Ring

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Battling Nelson, former lightweight boxing champion of the world, was granted a referee's license by the New York state boxing commission yesterday. Nelson's career as a fighter ended several years ago.

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FIRST DUTY IS POLICE DUTY.

With the commission of criminal acts breaking all records, and with public-spirited citizens of Oakland and other Eastbay cities aroused for their safety and determined that everything shall be done to provide the maximum of protection, there is naturally a lot of explanations as to the causes of the "crime wave." Leniency in the courts, negligence on the part of the police authorities, an overdose of paroles, post-war psychology, etc., have been offered.

But some of these explanations have degenerated to that ordinary condition commonly known as "passing the buck." This applies especially to some of the officials who are trying to place the blame elsewhere than on their own shoulders. Commissioner of Police Morse goes a bit further than others and predicts an increase in crime. In enumerating causes he mentions unemployment.

This is the first excuse that a responsible official usually makes for criminal outrages within his jurisdiction, "unemployment." But certainly this does not apply to Oakland now. There is not much unemployment in this city, or in Alameda, Berkeley, or San Francisco. There are several loafers, of course, for there are always idlers who never work unless forced to do so. But there is no abnormal unemployment.

And unemployment does not excuse and never has excused an epidemic of crime. So with some of the other excuses that have been offered—they do not excuse.

After all the alleged causes of criminal activities have been analyzed, the responsibility of a police department to protect a community from criminals is just as great as it ever was. There is no getting away from that fact. The Oakland police department can clean this city of every undesirable transient in forty-eight hours if that is desired by the department. The only thing necessary is to determine upon that procedure. Authority was long ago given for the increase of the police force by a considerable number of patrolmen, but it has not been used. The reign of thuggery which existed at the time the additional policemen were authorized could have been stopped in a day, but it was not stopped until the thugs decided to quit their attacks upon workers in the shipbuilding plants.

There are causes of crime which have not been mentioned by the police commissioner, and they are connected with the hospitality of Oakland for criminals. They are to be found in the bootlegging dance halls that keep open all night. They are to be found in the gambling houses that run openly to large crowds and do not even respect the two-o'clock closing law. They are to be found in the "fences" that operate in Oakland for the benefit of the crooks and burglars from all over northern California.

One thing is needed now worse than anything else and before anything else: the police department to stop crime and clean the crooks out of Oakland.

This can be done at once and would be if Mr. Morse will stop his tortuous explaining and give authority—not instructions—to the chief of police to proceed, without fear or favor regarding the politicians that have been meddling with the police department during the last four years, to exterminate the law violators.

After this is done discussion of the causes of crime and the placing of the burden of disorder on that dear old bugaboo, unemployment, may be carried on with better grace.

The first thing to deal with is the fact of criminal activities in the city of Oakland. And the police department is the agency created and maintained for this duty.

Not only must we not have an increase of crime, as Mr. Morse stupidly predicts, but there must be a decided decrease.

SPORTING ADVICE.

Federal Judge Bledsoe has little sympathy with the sugar profiteers. He passed judgment yesterday in a case in which the plaintiff was seeking to prevent delivery of a consignment of 1250 tons of sugar purchased at 19.85 cents a pound and had set up the plea that to complete the contract would involve a loss of $300,000. Judge Bledsoe said the loser in such a case should take his loss like a sport and that the court could not prevent the just consequences of a lawful contract.

That is good business morals; also it is a fine example of natural justice. The only fault which the general public will find with the conclusion is that only one party to the transaction will receive the salutary effects of financial loss. Hoarding, speculation, buying of future deliveries of sugar, was what boosted the price of this staple to 25 cents a pound a few months ago. There was no real scarcity of the commodity. There was no threatened drought in the cane plantations, no promise of the failure of distribution facilities.

Now is the time for the speculators to take their medicine. It is bitter and unpalatable. But the hardship is only apparent. They are not really sustaining a net loss. They merely must disgorge a portion of the profits that had been previously extorted from the consumers of sugar.

MR. ROWELL'S NEW JOB.

Governor Stephens has made what promises to be a very good appointment to the membership of the State Railway Commission in naming Mr. Chester H. Rowell to succeed Commissioner Edgerton. The appointment of Mr. Rowell came as a surprise, as it was not of general knowledge that he was being considered for the place, and had only a few weeks ago accepted an appointment from President Wilson to the United States Shipping Board.

When Mr. Rowell was selected for the shipping board, THE TRIBUNE criticized the appointment, not because of any lack of fitness on the part of the appointee, but because of the political dishonesty of President Wilson in classing Mr. Rowell as a Republican.

The merchant marine law provides for a fair partisan division of the membership of the shipping board. The selection of a man who had for many years labored openly and in conspiracy with others to destroy the Republican party and to disfranchise Republican electors, who during the last national campaign had taken the stump in favor of the Democratic candidate for the Presidency and the Democratic candidate for Senator in California, and to charge that man to the Republican membership of the shipping board, was a positive and flagrant violation of the spirit and letter of the law.

But the State railway commission is a non partisan body. Mr. Rowell possesses unquestioned ability. He knows California as well as any other Californian. He can be depended upon to recognize the needs of the public utilities as well as to protect the public against unreasonable and oppressive acts by the utilities. He has the capacity for balanced judgment. His appointment to the commission will doubtless prove satisfactory to the great majority of the people of this State.

In a recent number of a law journal a curious argument in favor of daylight saving is presented. A warehouse in an eastern city had been systematically robbed for some time, but all efforts to capture the thieves proved unavailing. They had timed their visits to the warehouse for 5 a. m., because the police went off duty at that hour. But last October when the day came to set back the clocks the thieves forgot to adjust their watches and so visited the warehouse at 4 instead of 5 o'clock. The police were still on duty and the thieves were captured. Time often spreads a net to catch a thief and those who think they are stealing from time usually are sadly disappointed. The thief is certain to be caught if he works long enough, although it may be purely accidental so far as the police are concerned.

BLUE LAWS.

The notion still lingers that the code of blue laws so often referred to was a reality and not a forgery. Published and republished these imaginary laws were caricatures of fact. They have as little kinship with truth as Diedrich Knickerbocker's history, which has cast a humorous but not luminous glow over the early scenes in the Empire State. Washington Irving himself in the preface to the last edition of this funny book, wondered at the success of the merry satire, for millions for two generations have chuckled over this successful caricature.

Doubtless also that very active Tory propagandist, the Rev. Samuel Peters of Connecticut (1735-1826), who penned the forty-five nefarious "Blue-Laws of Connecticut" had many a hearty laugh over his literary venture, when it proved to be a best seller. When he saw how easy it was to be had called the public [illegible] credulous a certain geographical region into a laughing stock by what was small, he just gave unloosed a button or two on his broad waistcoat.

Now though the sins of Europe suffered death by fire as a matter of fact and known record, no witch was ever burned within the limits of the thirteen [illegible] for the simple reason that witchcraft, in fact, never had a foothold in the seventeen states. Prof. [illegible] has long been [illegible] Mason and Jessamy [illegible] in movies and [illegible] in the reading of American history, and too often by public speakers.

The Blue-Laws were written in England in 1781 by a Connecticut exile refugee who was an Anglican churchman, his reputation for loyalty to the American cause [illegible] and he was in behalf of British royal authority [illegible] so much of propaganda that he was [illegible] upon his return, he no abbors to [illegible] One of his intercepted letters showed [illegible] to the American cause so he fled [illegible] to get there was one of the refugee [illegible] and smuts. While on British [illegible] his traverous spite on his former neighbors [illegible] He collected the laws of the New [illegible] whether in force or dead letters it [illegible] added others invented. Then he [illegible] which was in some quarters swallowed down [illegible] the Moon Hoax and other [illegible] Even the Card of Giant of 1869 had [illegible] of belief as the Blue-Laws of the Rev. [illegible]

[illegible] the laws and ordinances of all the thirteen [illegible] those of New England only, we find [illegible] which, judged in the light of [illegible] Dragonnade or Moslem. When men of stout [illegible] country, left behind them [illegible] cruel codes and customs they very [illegible] the yoke which they studied [illegible] most [illegible] system.—New York Herald.

NOTES and COMMENT

There will be a considerable support to the contention that the solicitation of money on the job for the schools, even for such a purpose as charity, is improper. There are men who go further, and hold that propaganda in favor of pets tax or propositions, or for candidates and bond issues, should not be permitted. The pupil mind is not ready for such distractions.

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There is no doubt of the general sentiment to the effect that Oakland is entitled to a better depot at the starting point of its ferry service than the Southern Pacific Company is now using at Broadway and Mandana streets, but the company seems to be entrenched as that Vanderbilt was who uttered himself ironically to the effect that "the people be damned."

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The controversy was started by a newspaper statement that President-elect Harding served cigarettes at [illegible] was furthered by a denial and counter-statement that he does not smoke at all. Whereupon the suggestion is made that it will be informing to watch his conduct after March 4.

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Ingenuous Californians may not fully appreciate this from the Kansas City Star: but those who have sojourned in an eastern city may have a more understanding. "The audience Thursday night would have enjoyed the performance of Hamlet, if it had [illegible] brought to a more comfortable temperature. Here and there shivering auditors were heard to make offers as high as their respective kingdoms for a hot brick."

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The Chicago company which brought the sensational suit to void a sugar contract entered into during the profiteering season, having lost its case, has paid over the money involved in its contract, and probably considers the incident closed. The memory of some of those connected therewith, however, is likely to dwell for a time on the quarter of a million that was lost through the biggest profiteering attempt of a notable profiteering era.

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There may be a danger in vigilance committees such as are being formed to meet the wave of crime. In the justifiable irritation that exists somebody may be caught and before his guilt is established he may be made an example of, finally to have it shown that he was innocent. Whenever a capture is made, the public indignation should at least be restrained till the guilt of the captive is established beyond a doubt.

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"Wilson spurns $150,000 offer by publisher." The $150,000 was offered, or said to have been offered, [illegible] the first one after he leaves the White House with no conditions as to subject or length. Those in a way of writing articles will have hard work to understand such refusal, much less the scorn that is alleged to have accompanied it.

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Dr. Robert F. Griggs of Chicago may have an idea that the children of the earth are having too much fun during this glad Christmas time. He is on hand with a gloomy statement of the possibility of a succession of volcanic eruptions plunging the earth into another ice age. "There is always somebody," etc.

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The Kansas City Star announces this economic discovery: "Contractors and laborers have been blamed for the housing shortage besides the original blame laid on manufacturers and retailers of building materials. The situation seems unique, as being the only shortage since the war that the consumer hasn't been blamed for."

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That philosopher, Lincoln Steffens, wants the Russians to be given time. "They have a plan and are working along it scientifically." There is no disposition here to curtail their effort to justify the Steffens idea. The objection is more likely to come from Russians themselves who have to eat.

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The grand jury is progressing in spurts. The jury in the first case considered sixteen minutes in coming to a conclusion. In the [illegible] eleven, and in the third [illegible] six. These quick and definite conclusions may be utterly contrary to precedent, but they are in keeping with the modern trend to improve upon the [illegible]

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These poets are coming in for much notice just now. There is D'Annunzio, who has [illegible] and [illegible] for months, but who now says he wants Italy [illegible] doing for, and there is George Sterling.

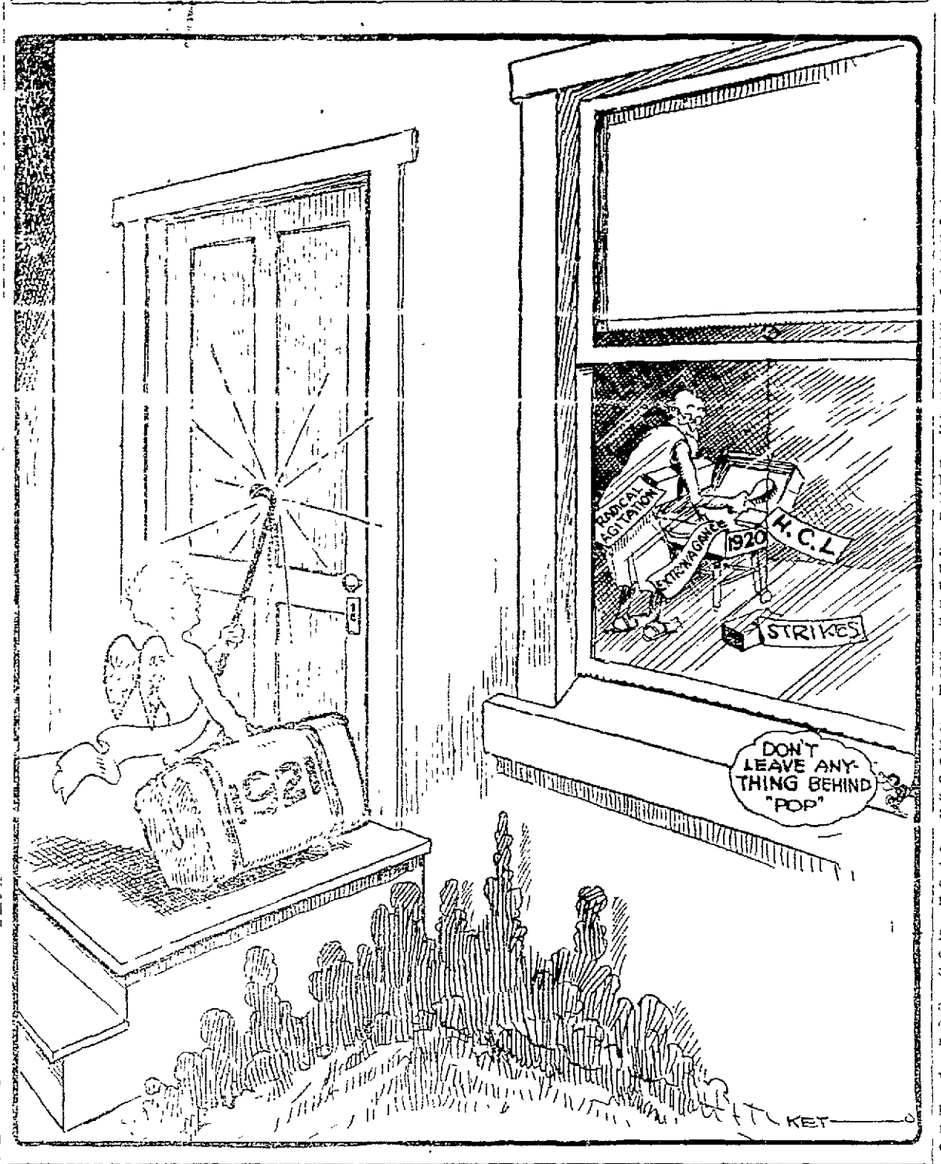
SPIRIT of the STATE PRESS

H. B. Stevenson, author of "I Love You," [illegible] who to love me. She is a widow with the fetching Chinese name of "Hi-spret" and she says she was the "happiest woman in the world" [illegible] the happy groom said he was the happiest man in the whole world." That seems to be a [illegible] around as they are going to Hopeton for a honeymoon at Stockton Beach.

Many collisions on the highways won't be avoided if every autoist would never pick on a observance of traffic regulations by the other fellow. "Always be [illegible] approaching [illegible] possible [illegible] would [illegible] to follow, [illegible]

The [illegible] eating a [illegible] Westwood [illegible] after eating a [illegible] soreness at the news, [illegible] omission of the [illegible] the reports.—Chico Enterprise.

WHAT'S IN THE BAG?



THE OLD YEAR

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The Old Year's slipping out to sea
To join the years which used to be;
A few more hours it has to last
And then with the remembered past
It takes its place with thousands more,
Just like it which have gone before.

Some of us mourn its passing on,
Others may smile when it has gone
And hopefully embrace the new,
Turning to it as humans do
Unto the friend who comes to bring
Them comfort for their sorrowing.

What is the cargo of a Year?
Joy, hope, success and doubt and fear,
Failure and victory and mirth,
The pain of death, the thrill of birth.
And sum and loss, and each in turn
Some portion of it all shall earn.

Each of us, by his strength of will,
Shall shape the year for good or ill;
Save the inevitable blow
Which strikes the dearly loved ones low,
By all we do and all we are
The year that comes we make or mar.

Within the year tonight that dies
The record of our service lies:
Unchanged through all that shall occur
This year shall tell the men we were;
Ages unborn shall run it through
And learn just what we cared to do

A FRIEND'S GIFT

To the Editor of The Tribune:

You have all seen, come or other looked across the fields and in the distance you have seen a beautiful green field, and you [illegible] wish to rest upon it, and you feel that beautiful green field [illegible] and your neighbors all do so and think and talk about what a wonderful thing it is. You [illegible] to the [illegible] it would be [illegible] in no good words [illegible] you will go [illegible] field up roads and [illegible] your own [illegible] go [illegible] not [illegible] we [illegible] so [illegible] be [illegible] next year for [illegible] to [illegible] the Pleasant [illegible] of San Jose [illegible] That they [illegible] fewer to [illegible] the future of the [illegible] fishery a bad one.

WHAT is DOING TO-NIGHT

Good Will Rebekahs hold Christmas celebration, Souza's hall.
Lion Clubs celebrate, Arcadia.
Thursday Night club gives Yama Yama party, Maple hall.
K. of C. hold New Year's Eve party.
Young men give Serpentine dance, Oakland.
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Fulton—Civilian Clothes.
Pantages—Rolling Along.
Columbia—Rose of Washington.
Ye Liberty—The Girl in the Limousine.
Strand—Doug. Fairbanks.
American—William Farnum.
Kinema—Wally Reid.
Franklin—Dorothy Gish.
T. & D.—The Heart of a Fool.
Broadway—Will Rogers.
Arcadia—Dancing.
Lake Merritt—Boating.

WHAT is DOING TOMORROW

Benefit baseball game, California Field, U. C., 3 p. m.
Tamalcraft give New Year's dinner, club rooms, Berkeley, 7 p. m.

T. AND D. Oakland
SEE 'EM TODAY
BLANCHE HERTZ' KIDDIES
A BRAND NEW MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA—20 DOLLS.
TONIGHT!
Big New Year's Eve Show
Starts 11:30 p. m.
6—Vaudeville Acts—6
FUN AND MERRIMENT HORNS AND CONFETTI
GET SEATS NOW!

STATE
Broadway at 14th
Continuous—Noon to 11 P. M.
MIDNIGHT SHOW TONIGHT
Until 2 a. m.
Douglas Fairbanks
"The Mollycoddle"
V-A-R-I-E-T-I-E-S

THE FULTON
Some way, dear, I seem to always enjoy the FULTON the most!
The Tomorrow Triumph
"CIVILIAN CLOTHES!"
Phone Lakeside 73—Now!

Harry Gaze Coming

Free Lectures on Psychology of Successful Living, Hotel Oakland Ballroom. Sunday afternoon and evening, 3:15 and 8:15. Monday evening, special lecture at 7 sharp. Admission free. All welcome.

TODAY 20 YEARS AGO

Great floods cause hundreds to lose their lives at towns of Bath and Coventry, England.

A. B. Ford retires from the Central Pacific Land Office to accept position with the Crocker-Woolworth Bank.

Gang of small boys steals gates and business signs and "paints the town red" in Hayward.

IDEAL CHRISTMAS WEATHER

For Christmas the weather should be of that Pickwickian kind in which the grass is "crisp and frosty," the air has a "fine, dry, stinging coldness," and the day is one "that might induce a couple of elderly gentlemen in a lonely field to take off their greatcoats and play at leapfrog in pure lightness of heart and gayety."—Youth's Companion.

YE LIBERTY
Oakland 600
Tonight—Sat. Mat.—Tomorrow Night, 2 Shows Tonight—7:30, 9:30
A. H. Woods' Farce-comedy hit
THE GIRL IN THE LIMOUSINE
Nts. 50c to $2. Sat. Mat. 50c to $1.50.
Week Commencing Sunday Night, Jan. 2. Matinees Wednesday and Saturday
KOLB & DILL
in "The High Cost of Loving"
Seats Now Nts. 50c to $2.00. Wed. Mat. Best Seats $1. Sat. Mat. 50c to $1.50
MAIL ORDERS NOW
Coming for week Monday, Jan. 17. Mats. Wed. and Sat.
SAN CARLO GRAND OPERA
Mon. Rigoletto; Tues., Mme. Butterfly; Wed. mat., Tales of Hoffman; Wed. Nt., Carmen; Thurs., Aida; Fri., La Boheme; Sat. Mat., Faust; Sat. Nt., Il Trovatore.
Nights.....50c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50
Matinees.....50c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00

American
TODAY TO SATURDAY
Two Great Stars! Two Great Plays!
WILLIAM FARNUM
in "The Joyous Troublemaker"
Adapted from the Noted Story of California by Jackson Gregory
—ALSO—
MADGE KENNEDY
in "The Girl with the Jazz Heart"
Topics of the Day
JOHN WHARRY LEWIS and his orchestra
Coming Sunday: Allan Dwan's "The Forbidden Trail"; Bebe Daniels in "Oh, Lady, Lady!"

Pantages
12th at Broadway
UNEQUALED VAUDEVILLE
Rolling Along
A Miniature Musical Comedy
Mr. and Mrs. Mel-Burne
In "On the Sleeping Porch"
Other Big Acts

BROADWAY
BIG HOLIDAY PROGRAMS
Last Time Today, Tonight
WILL ROGERS in "Honest Hutch"
CARMEL MYERS in "Folly's Trail"
Coming Sunday: MITCHELL LEWIS in "King Spruce."

About YOUR HEALTH

Why Not Resolve to Be 100% Well This New Year?

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D., F. A. C. S.
Commissioner of Health, N. Y. City

As the New Year approaches we wish for larger financial and social success. Perhaps we determine to seek political preferment or higher professional standing. Maybe we decide to strive for scholarship, or for artistic attainment.

Or New Year's day we resolve that the coming year shall be our best in business. We determine that before the year ends we shall be established in a better home. Some of us resolve to get married, or to stop smoking, or to go to church every Sunday.

All of these are legitimate resolutions, but of what avail would they be were death to come, or were the health to break, or were deafness to shut out the sweet sounds of life.

After all, good health is the first and most vital of all the blessings of this world. Without it, every resolution is doubtful of realization. With it, all the blessings of life are humanly possible.

On this New Year's day, then, the most important resolution that can be recorded is one relating to your health.

The office man, the business woman, the idle rich, the struggling poor, every one, indeed, whose daily occupation holds us victim in the chains of duty or of habit—every such person should dedicate himself to these resolutions:

I will solemnly promise that on each and every day during 1921 I will spend at least one hour in the open air, in walking or in some other form of physical exercise.

I will never ride on a street car or in a taxi or in an automobile if the distance to be traversed can reasonably be covered by walking.

I further promise that I will take at least twenty minutes for my midday meal, if that is lunch, or thirty minutes if the meal is dinner.

At noontime I will refrain from work for at least one hour.

I will give myself at least a half-hour for removing the day's dirt and for rest before sitting down to my evening meal.

I will sleep two hours before midnight, and I at least six hours thereafter, in a room ventilated by an open window, both winter and summer.

I will refrain from harmful excesses in the use of candy, tobacco, medicines, rich food and from any other practice that will lower my resistance and leave me liable to disease.

I will do only such things that make for my health and my neighbor's health. I will refrain from doing anything that may damage me or do harm to my fellow-man.

I set for myself high standards of living, and by clean lines of mind [illegible] 1921 better than any previous year in my life.

The more closely good intention coincides with action, in any life, the higher the character and the greater the man.

Orpheum
Orpheum Circuit
VICTOR MOORE
EMMA LITTLEFIELD & CO.
"Change Act or Back to Woods"
Pistel & Johnson Barnes & Freeman
HERBERT CLIFTON
Travesties of the Weaker Sex
Ward A. Dooley B. & L. Walton
Topics of Day Christie Comedy
Setzanick Whly. Orpheum Orchestra
EDITH CLASPER and Boys in "Love Steps"
MATINEE DAILY
Two Shows New Year's Eve—7:30 and 9:30 P. M.
Mats. 15c to 50c (Except Sundays and Holidays); Eves. 15c to $1.50
Phone Oak. 711

KINEMA
Today and All Week
WALLY REID in his stirring double reel drama, ALWAYS AUDACIOUS"
From the Saturday Evening Post story "Toujours de l'Audace"
Is Pearl Hickman Kiddies in "MINIATURE ZIEGFELD FOLLIES"
Next Week, Fatty Arbuckle in "The Life of the Party"

FRANKLIN
Today and All Week
DOROTHY GISH
wrecks airplanes, hearts and homes in "FLYING PAT" Sunshine Comedy, NW Mounted Police Story, etc.

NEW YEAR'S EVE
ALL NIGHT DANCING
AT
ARCADIA
14th and Franklin Sts., Oakland.
TONIGHT
General Admission 25 cents.
All noise-making contrivances will be forbidden.
Dancing every evening and Sunday afternoons.
Instructions in private hall.

CHIMES COLLEGE AT KEITH
ROSCOE (Fatty) ARBUCKLE
in His First Super Production
"THE ROUND UP"
Edgar Camps Out," by Booth Tarkington, Burton Holmes Travels and Pathe Reviews

GIRLESQUE
COLUMBIA
SPECIAL
NEW YEAR'S EVE PERFORMANCE TO-NIGHT
Jollity! Hilarity! Gaiety!

NEW PIEDMONT
Piedmont and Linda Ave.
Today — Last Time
PAULINE FREDERICK
in "MADAME X"
Also Edgar Camps Out"
Lindera 15
Entire Starts 7:30 and 9:30 P. M.

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WORK OF C. OF C. FOR NEW DEPOT IS COMMENDED

Commissioner Edwards States Campaign Agrees With Council Policy.

The appeal of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce to the State Railroad Commission to force the Southern Pacific to erect a new depot at Fourteenth and Franklin streets was commended to the city council this morning by Commissioner Edwards.

The Merchants' Exchange and Uptown Association have also adopted the resolution. Speaking to the council, Edwards said:

"I believe we can get something out of the Southern Pacific at that point. It is not right that they should block the roadway on Franklin street, as they have done for years at this point."

Edwards' letter was as follows:

I desire to call to the attention of this council the action of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce in requesting the State Railroad Commission to enforce the improvement of the Southern Pacific property at Fourteenth and Franklin streets.

This action on the part of the Chamber of Commerce is indeed gratifying, for it demonstrates the active co-operation which this city council is receiving in its efforts to bring about civic improvements by such concerns as the Southern Pacific Company. Accordingly, I take this opportunity of bringing the matter to the attention of this council.

It is to be hoped that the various other civic organizations in this city will follow the lead of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and will co-operate with this council in its endeavors to beautify and improve the city. Permit me to say that it is my belief that the city of Oakland needs more of this co-operative spirit and less of destructive and groundless criticism.

I am this day communicating with the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and expressing my personal gratification for their splendid action in the very important matter of trying to bring about the improvement of the Southern Pacific property at Fourteenth and Franklin streets of this city.

Foreign Trade Tours Planned by Rotarians

A plan by which young American business men and students would be sent around the world each year to study foreign trade conditions and methods will be laid before the International Rotary clubs next month by [illegible] Lawrence, president of the Lawrence Warehouse Company of Oakland, who is a member of the business methods committee of the international organization.

Lawrence's plan is to have the extension course connected with the universities of Columbia and California with the backing of the Rotary organization. From all parts of the country there would be about 600 young men selected, who hope to become experts in their particular line. Each trip around the world would consume about six months, and the trade students would be accompanied by business men and instructors.

Lawrence proposed that a government transport ship be chartered for the purpose. The University of California authorities, he declares, are highly enthusiastic over the idea and a similar reception is expected at Columbia university.

Newlyweds Leave On Honeymoon Trip

Miss Anna Depole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Depole of 4329 Grove street, was married today to William B. DelGardo, salesman with the produce firm of A. Levy and J. Zentner. The young couple left at noon to motor to Monterey for their wedding trip. They plan to be gone over the holidays when they will return to make their home in Oakland.

ENJOY NEW YEAR'S DINNER AT

The States Restaurant

Market at Fourth San Francisco

WHAT HAPPENS WHILE NEW YORK SLEEPS?

From Paris to Berkeley

MLLE. ALINE ERACLE, who, with her mother, has come to the Eastbay to dance because post-bellum days are dark days for the arts in France.

Arrival of MCMXXI Will Be Feted by All Eastbay as Century Attains Majority

The century attains its majority at midnight tonight.

Old 1920 will be rung out right merrily. The young 1921 will be heralded with carnival. Despite the fact that the Volstead Act is in full force for the first time on New Year's Eve, and Commissioner of Health and Safety F. F. Morse and Chief of Police Lynch have declared that law and order shall prevail, the celebration will lack in nothing but the liquids.

Downtown streets will ring with song and with the fanfare of every noise-making machine discoverable. Cafes and restaurants will be crowded; theaters will be thronged; churches where midnight worship is announced will be filled. Dances and open houses will be offered as entertainment by lodges and clubs.

CITY HALL PLAZA FETE

The City Hall plaza will be the center of the public New Year's eve carnival. Songs will float from the clouds beginning early in the evening, when the Metropolitan Quartet and Pietro Mezzanatti, grand opera singer, stationed in the upper windows of the tall municipal building, will give a program through megaphones.

At midnight an illuminated airplane will ride across the sky, dropping fireworks on the merrymakers as the clamor arises which will welcome 1921. Major Reed M. Chambers, American ace, will circle 2000 feet above the city, in aerial stunts. Through a specially contrived magnavox he will greet Mayor John L. Davie and Oakland citizens from his great height. Confetti, serpentines, horns and noise-making contrivances will attest to the festival spirit.

The Merchants' Exchange is arranging the community celebration with Harry G. Williams, chairman of the committee on general arrangements, assisted by Secretary Charles Morando. President I. H. Spiro will address the holiday throng in front of the city hall at 8:30 p. m.

CAFE ENTERTAINMENTS

All the cafes and restaurants have made special arrangements to accomodate a large holiday throng. Heavy reservation has been reported. Hotel Oakland will welcome 400 of the smart set, who have engaged supper tables for the holiday festivity.

Theaters are putting on two shows, beginning at 7:30 and 9:30 p. m. A record attendance is expected, with some of the houses already putting up the "Sold out" sign. The larger moving picture houses will keep open until 2 a. m. Some of the dance halls have announced all-night dances.

The Lions' club of Oakland has taken over the Rose Room at the Arcadia for the New Year's dinner dance at which the members will entertain their brother clubmen and guests from Berkeley and San Francisco. Entertainment is promised along with the dancing.

At the country clubs, the carnival spirit will reign. Claremont, according to the custom of years, will make merry at a dinner dance with a full 500 of the smart set in attendance and scores turned away because there were not accommodations. At Sequoyah, reservations have been made for 150 guests.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Watch meetings of song and admonition will mark the passing of the year. Hundreds will throng to the First Methodist church auditorium at Twenty-fourth street and Broadway, to participate in the union meeting of the five big down town Protestant congregations — Methodist, Presbyterian, Christian, Congregationalist and Baptist. The service will mark the formal consecration at midnight of the tabernacle on Twenty-second street where for the coming month these churches will jointly hold evangelistic meetings under the leadership of John Brown.

The tabernacle choir under the leadership of Otis D. Ironmonger, will offer a program of song. Bishop Adna Wright will be the principal speaker. Short addresses will be made by the several pastors, including Dr. Francis Van Horn, Dr. H. A. Van Winkle, Rev. Frank L. Silsley, Rev. John Snape and Dr. John Stephens. The services will commence at 10 p. m.

The last hours of 1920 will be celebrated in St. Mary's Catholic church at an impressive ceremony announced for 8 p. m. Special devotions, singing of a hymn of thanksgiving, a sermon and benediction will engage the worshippers. "The Passing Year" is the sermon topic announced by Rev. Thomas Cullen, formerly of Providence, R. I.

NEW YEAR WORSHIP.

New Year's Day will be observed with solemnity in the Catholic churches of the city. St. Mary's Conservatory Choir will repeat the Columbus day music at the 11 o'clock mass in the down town church. Masses will be said at 6:30, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12:15. Following the last service there will be benediction and singing of the hymn of thanksgiving. Father Dempsey will preach the sermon at the 11 and 12:15 o'clock masses.

Many of the smaller Protestant and Catholic congregations have announced neighborhood watch meetings.

A three weeks' camp meeting will be launched at two New Year's Eve services conducted tonight by the Salvation Army at their headquarters, 523 Ninth street. Special music will mark the programs which are scheduled for 8 and 10 p. m. Refreshments will be served at midnight. The holiday eve meetings are arranged by Colonel Ashley Pebbles, editor of the Pacific Coast War Cry; Colonel Emil Marcussen, social secretary for the Pacific coast; Colonel A. T. Dart, financial secretary of the western division.

OPEN HOUSE AT K. C.

Oakland Council, No. 784, Knights of Columbus, will keep open house tonight at their club home in Thirteenth street. Music, dancing and the serving of refreshments will mark the festivities attendant upon the welcome to the new year. A reunion of local and visiting knights will celebrate tomorrow. The committee in charge numbers: H. Frank Cary, chairman; Gerald Brusher, Louis A. Cabral, Roy Duddy, R. E. Galvin, Mark Hogan, Leo Hanly, J. L. Mulvihill, F. X. Mulhall, Frank Fargett, Matthew Smith, Norman P. Wilkie, Wm. J. Kieferdorf.

"All laws must be enforced," Chief of Police declared today. In the street carnival all rowdyism will be taboo. Orders to police officers and inspectors point out that loitering after the celebration has been broken up will not be tolerated. Under the cabaret law Chief Lynch is granted the power to extend the hour of festivity to 2 p. m. This has been done.

Golden Glint Shampoo beautifies hair. Used by hairdressers everywhere—Ad.

DANCER ABANDONS WAR-TORN EUROPE TO VISIT EASTBAY

Mlle. Aline Eracle Says That Times in France Are Bad for Art, Artists.

Conditions for artists and the stimulation of the fine arts are not good in Europe now since the war. America is looked to as the patron of the arts instead. For that reason America is gaining much from Europe for many artists have come here to work.

Berkeley and the bay region have gained one in the person of Mlle. Aline Eracle, ballet dancer, one time of the Paris opera ballet, then entertainer to "les poilus" in the army centers.

"It was very bad in Paris for the arts after the war," says Mlle. Eracle. "My married sister is in Berkeley and so I come with my mother to les Etats Unis. I wish to have a studio. I will dance here."

Last night Mlle. Eracle danced for the Alameda County Teachers' Association, a program of classic interpretations. She is a dancer of such technique as is found under the old ballet masters of Europe.

The young woman, she is little more than a girl, danced during the war in Boulogne, in Havre, in Paris, everywhere the soldiers were quartered and required entertainment. She was then with a company whose business it was to entertain the fighting men. It was hard work but it paid in enthusiastic appreciation, she says.

Candidates Put On Ballot by Petition

Candidates for election as freeholders to frame a charter for a consolidated city and county government secured more signature than were necessary for their petitions to get on the ballot, according to announcement by County Clerk George E. Gross.

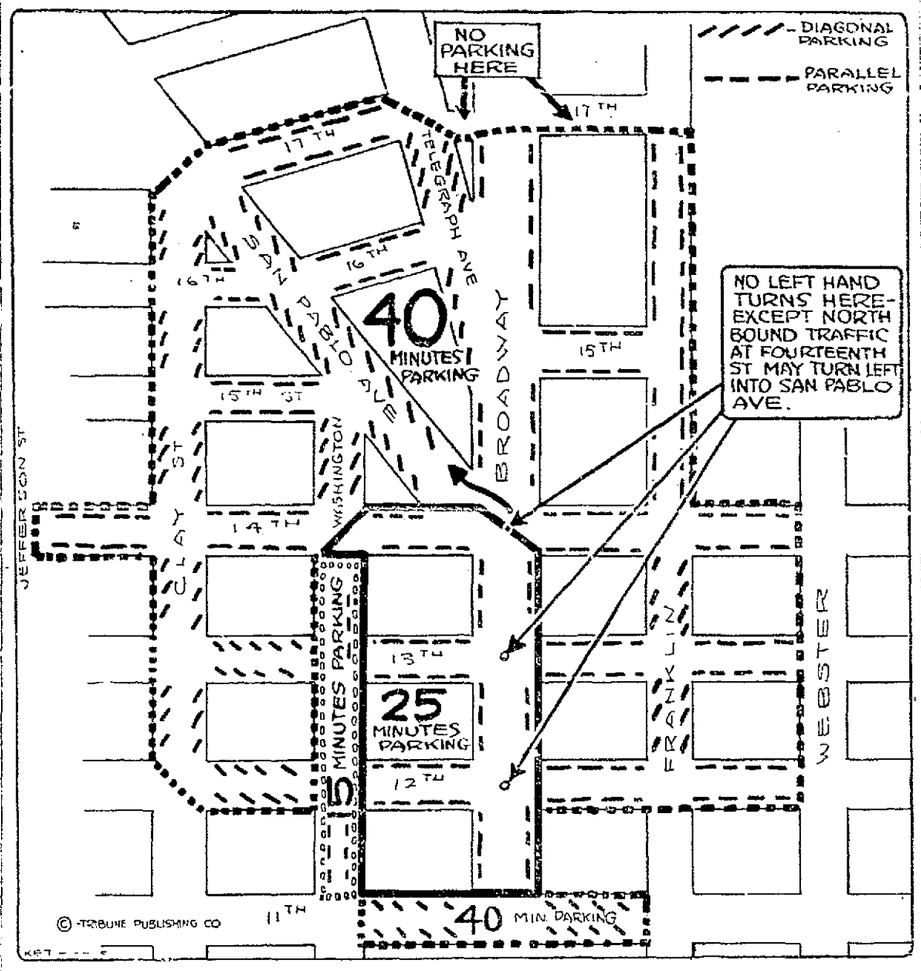
The highest number of signatures were secured by Blanche Morse, who filed 1598. The number necessary was 1100. Those of the others were: Samuel J. Donohue, 1494; W. Herbert Graham, 1540; Harriet M. Kearney, 1525; B. H. Pendleton, 1531; Lewis A. Hicks, 1580; Annie Florence Brown, 1593; Charles H. Spear, 1486; Greene Majors, 1552; Ordando E. Swain, 1524; Joseph O. McKown, 1126; William Cavalier, 1549; Arthur W. Beam, 1572; Leon A. Clark, 1583; Orrin K. McMurray, 1497.

Chief Registration Clerk Jo Wagner finished checking the petitions today and announced they were satisfactory. They will be certified to the supervisors Monday. The election is scheduled for February 3.

Pullman Employees Fight Cut in Wages

CHICAGO, Dec. 31.—Union labor of the Pullman company will not accept the proposed cut in wages up to 20 per cent which the employees' industrial relations committee proposed, according to Harry Smith, general chairman of the Pullman system federation of labor. Mr. Smith said that the men who attended last night's meeting and who represented 35 or 40 per cent of the 9000 employees at the Pullman plant, voted unanimously not to accept a cut in wages.

Automobile Drivers, Here's Last Warning; New Traffic Law Is Effective Monday



Here graphically presented is the new parking law which autoists must follow, beginning Monday. The black-bordered section includes the 25-minute parking section and adjoining it is the section where machines may park for but 15 minutes, enclosed by dotted lines. The outer broken line marks the 40-minute parking limits. Outside of these the length of parking is not limited.

Cut Out Tribune Map and Study Revised Regulations to Be Put in Force

Automobile drivers, watch your step!

On Monday morning at 9 o'clock the city's new downtown traffic ordinance will be in effect.

The traffic department of the police under Sergeant Fahey will begin immediate enforcement. Leniency in careless violations will not be shown.

It is the opinion that the public has now had time to assimilate the provisions of the new ordinance. Since it was passed originally it has been changed only in two essential particulars. They are:

There can be only parallel, not diagonal, parking on Broadway between Fourteenth and Seventeenth streets.

There can be no parking on Seventeenth street between Telegraph avenue and Franklin street.

The left-hand turn from Broadway into San Pablo avenue alone is permitted. Other left-hand turns at Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets are prohibited.

STUDY THE MAP

The best way to familiarize yourself with the regulations is to study the map which The TRIBUNE has corrected in accordance with the ordinance changes. It probably will be well for the Oakland and Eastbay motorist to clip out the map and the accompanying statement and keep it with his license card for reference. It may save a trip to the city hall and perhaps to court.

For the benefit of those who have not read it, there is here reprinted the digest of the revised ordinance:

The new law, beginning Monday, will be enforced between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m.

DIAGONAL PARKING

The limits of diagonal parking: Broadway, between Eleventh and Fourteenth streets, 25-minue limit; Telegraph avenue, between Fifteenth and Seventeenth streets, 40-minute limit; Franklin street, between Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, 40-minute limit; San Pablo avenue, between Fourteenth and Seventeenth streets, 40-minute limit; Clay street, between Twelfth and Seventeenth streets, 40-minute limit; Washington street, between Fourteenth street and San Pablo avenue, 40-minute limit; Eleventh street, between Washington and Franklin, 40-minute limit; Thirteenth street, between Washington and Clay, 40-minute limit; Twelfth street, between Washington and Clay, 40-minute limit.

PARALLEL PARKING

Parallel parking (one foot from curb)—Broadway, between Fourteenth and Seventeenth, 40-minute limit; Washington street, between Eleventh and Fourteenth, 15-minute limit; Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, between Broadway and Webster streets, 40-minute limit; Fourteenth street, between Washington and Jefferson, 40-minute limit; Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, between Franklin and Clay, 40-minute limit; Franklin street, between Fourteenth and Seventeenth streets, 40-minute limit.

Parking prohibited on Seventeenth street, between Telegraph avenue and Franklin.

NO LEFT TURNS

Turning to the left on Broadway at Twelfth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets prohibited, except north-bound traffic on Broadway at Fourteenth street may turn left into San Pablo avenue only.

Vehicles shall not be left within 15 feet of any fire hydrant.

No vehicle shall turn and go in the opposite direction (turn around) except at street intersections.

Upon approach of fire apparatus all vehicles must immediately pull to right-hand curb and stop until it is clear.

EVEN WHEN DEAD THIS CAT WAS MUCH 'ALIVE'

An incendiary fire close to extinguished under the garage of Alfred J. Farewell, 2218 Rosedale avenue. Anthony Cabral Jr. lives just next door. The neighbor on the other side of the Farewell residence is Thomas McNutt King, a college professor.

The above mentioned i. f. permeated the neighborhood within a few days and as a result the college professor, Cabral and others interested, appeared in police court.

"Besides being extremely distasteful to my esthetic sense," explained Prof. King to "blizzonor," "it is injurious to the health to inhale the obnoxious effluvia emanating from the defunct carcass of a carnivorous animal."

"And that ain't all," interposed Cabral, "it smells worse than a flat tire on a warm day in the Imperial Valley." Farwell protested "it wouldn't be long before nature eliminated the nuisance."

After considerable deliberation the court referred the case to the board of health.

TYPHUS FIGHT SOUGHT

LONDON, Dec. 31.—An appeal for $10,000,000 to fight typhus in eastern Europe is being sent out from the League of Nations headquarters to various members of the league.

EDGERTON GIVEN GOODBYE BANQUET BY COMMISSION

Retiring Member of the Rail Board Urges Colleagues Not to Fear Politicans.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—"I beg of you, my fellow-workers with whom I am about to part company, that you be not disturbed or distressed by the crying of the politicians, that, when you do the wise, the sound and the just thing in fixing utility rates, you have become procorporation," declared E. O. Edgerton, retiring railroad commissioner, at a luncheon in the Palace Hotel today given by the other members of the commission and the staff.

The luncheon was in the nature of a farewell to Edgerton and complimentary to Commissioner H. D. Loveland, who has been reappointed by Governor Stephens. On behalf of the commission and its personnel, Commissioner Frank R. Devlin presented Commissioner Edgerton with a handsome silver-mounted brief case.

LAY UP NO RICHES

"I urge upon you that finally, when your work with the Railroad Commission is over," continued Edgerton, "and you find that the compensation as ordered by the state, which is comparatively small for the service rendered, leaves you without riches, that you will have, however, a far greater thing—the satisfaction of knowing in your hearts, each of you, that your conscience and your judgment at all times have prevailed and that you have been honest and courageous men and women at all times, maintaining your self-respect and refusing to be swayed by and desire for popularity or any fear of criticism."

The speaker, after commenting on the fact he has been with the commission nearly nine years, said:

"I can say with conviction that throughout this entire period the Railroad Commission has announced sound policies in the regulation of public utilities and has carried these policies into action.

STILL IS UNTERRIFIED

"It has not been swayed by fear or criticism, nor by political consideration. It is my observation that today the California Railroad Commission stands as one of the foremost commissions in the United States, and I have every hope and expectation that this reputation will be lived up to in the future.

"I assert without qualification that the California Railroad Commission has never in any instance lost sight of the interest of consumers and the attempt has always been and in my judgment a very successful attempt, so to regulate service and rates as to do justice both to the company and to consumers."

The retiring commissioner will establish offices in San Francisco and Los Angeles and practice as a financial counselor and legal adviser, specializing in utility matters. His headquarters will be in this city.

Free Dental Clinic Is Plan for Children

Teeth of the school children of Oakland will hereafter be an important feature of the health work of the school department. Beginning tomorrow, special announcements have been made under which students may obtain expert dental service at minimum cost where their parents can afford to pay or in case where they cannot, the teeth may be attended to without charge. The money for the free records will be provided by the local Junior Red Cross funds, Parent-Teacher associations and from other sources.

1921

On this last day of the Old Year we wish our Friends and Patrons a happy and prosperous 1921.

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Great Union Watch Night Service

AT THE

First Methodist Church

24TH AND BROADWAY

This Evening, Dec. 31st FROM 10 TO 12 P. M.

The Principal Address by Bishop Adna Wright Leonard
Big Tabernacle Choir will sing, led by Otis D. Ironmonger
OTHER SPECIAL FEATURES

Nearly all of the evangelical churches of the city are uniting in this service, which will be preparatory to the opening of the union Evangelistic meetings in the Tabernacle at 22nd and Broadway, Sunday Eve, Jan. 2, at 7:30. John Elward Brown, Evangelist.

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Harry Gaze, Author, Lecturer, Psychologist, will give a series of three free lectures on "Psychology of Successful Living," Sunday afternoon and evening, 3:15 and 8:15. Monday evening special lecture at 7 sharp. Hotel Oakland ballroom. Admission free. All welcome.

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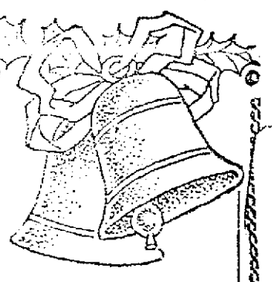

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LODGE NOTICES

F. & A. M. DIRECTORY

BAY VIEW LODGE No. 451 meets Thursday nights in I. O. O. F. temple, 11th and Franklin streets. Visiting brethren welcome.
W. B. YORK, Master.
J. W. HAVENS, Secretary.

FELLOWSHIP LODGE No. 450 meets every Wednesday evening, Masonic Temple, 12th and Washington streets. Visiting brethren welcome.
JAMES H. ROTHBERG, Master.
H. R. McNALLY, Secretary.

SCOTTISH RITE BODIES

Cathedral, 15th and Madison sts. Monday evening.
J. A. [illegible] 33° Hon. Sec.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

ASYLUM OF OAKLAND COMMANDERY No. 11. Knights Templar. Masonic temple.
Tuesday evening, Jan. 4, stated assembly; short form; fatigue; reception of petitions; balloting; special business.
CAROL R. COLLOPY, Com.
FRANCIS H. E. O'DONNELL, R. C. Recorder.

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OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, office and club rooms at 13th and Harrison sts. Office hours 9 a.m. till 5 p.m. Phone Oakland 9069. Clubrooms, 11 a. m. till midnight. Phone Oakland 2604. Sundays and holidays closed. Regular stated session third Wednesday of every month.
New Year's eve party, Friday, December 31. Dancing 9 p. m. to 4 a. m.
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SCIOTO OAKLAND PYRAMID No. 2, A. E. O. S.
Clubroom, 484 12th st.
Business session Wednesday, January 12.
C. S. NELSEN, Toparch, Phone Piedmont 1867
L. C. LEET, Scribe, Bacon bldg. Phone Oakland 4840.

Pacific Bldg.

16th, at Jefferson.
OAKLAND CAMP No. 94, W. O. W., Monday, 8 p. m.
National Union Assurance Society. 1st-3rd Friday evgs. Sec. 1330 Bdy.
Oakland Circle No. 226, N. O. W., Mon., 8:30 p. m. Clerk, Oak. 8316.

W. O. W.

Athens Camp No. 457, W. O. W., meets every Wednesday evening; 8 p. m.; Athens hall, Pacific bldg., 18th and Jefferson.
D. A. SINCLAIR, Clerk, Phone Merritt 2000

WOODMEN of the WORLD

FRUITVALE CAMP No. 431, W. O. W., meets Woodmen of the World bldg., 3256 E. 14th st., every Thursday evening. Visiting neighbors welcome. Next meeting Thursday evening, Jan. 6.
W. H. Parker, C. C.; phone Fruitvale 205. E. E. Hunt, Clerk and District Manager. Phone Fruitvale 2334

MODERN WOODMEN

OAKLAND CAMP No. [illegible] meets in Fraternal hall, Odd Fellows bldg., 11th-Franklin sts., every Thursday evening, 8 o'clock.
JOHN H. EUSTICE, V. C.
J. F. BETHEL, Clerk, 18 Bacon bldg.

Royal Neighbors of America

OAKLAND CAMP 8179 meets first and third Friday nights at St. George hall, 25th and Grove.
LOUISE SMITH, Oracle, Lake. 544
FLORENCE WRIGHT, Recorder, 26 Moss avenue. Piedmont 5305.

THE MACABEES

OAKLAND TENT No. 17 meets at Truth hall, I. O. O. F. bldg., 11th and Franklin sts., Monday, January 3.
Initiation of a large class of candidates. Election of Sergeant and Medical Attendant. Physician. Office 460 12th st., room 212.
G. R. PRICE, Com.
J. L. FINE, R. K.

W.O.A.O.T.M. MACCABEES

Women's Benefit Assn. of Maccabees. ARGONAUT REVIEW No. 59 meets every Saturday evening in Athens hall, Pacific bldg.
Regular meeting, Jan. 8.
CATHERINE PAYNE, Com.
MRS. MINNIE WAY, R. K. 1506 E. 22d

OAKLAND REVIEW No. 14 meets Tuesday evening in Pacific bldg., 16th and Jefferson sts.
MRS. HANNAH ALLINSON, Com. 5340 Janes ave. Ph. Piedmont 4493
MRS. ALMA SIBBETT, R. K. 401 E. 14th st. Phone Merritt 1534.

N. S. G. W.

Piedmont Parlor No. 120 meets every Thursday evening in N. S. G. W. hall, 11th and Clay sts., Oakland. Visiting members welcome. Regular meeting Jan. 6.
HAROLD H. FLOOD, President.
CHAS. MORANDO, Rec. Secy.

FRUITVALE PARLOR

No. 252, Masonic Temple, 34th ave. and 14th st. Meetings Thursday evening, Jan. 6, at 7:15 p. m. Visiting brothers welcome.
JOHN O. LEVY, President.
RAY R. PELTON, Rec. Secy. 10520 E. 14th street

FORESTERS OF AMERICA

COURT U. S. OF AMERICA No. 38 meets at Pythian castle, 12th and Alice sts.
HARRY L. COHEN, C. R.
FRANK L. ELICH, Fin Sec. Lakeside 1561.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS

COURT ADVOCATE No. 7215, at Jenny Lind hall, 2229 Telegraph av., Friday eve., Jan. 21.
CARL GLATZE, C. R.
J. W. REALY, Treas., 1614 7th st.
JAS. McCRACKEN, Secy., 4162 Piedmont avenue.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS

COURT OAKLAND 1237 meets at St. George hall, 25th and Grove st., Jan. 6.
C. F. HASSLER, Chief Ranger.
FRANK M. REED, Financial Secy., 1429 Broadway, room 9.

Improved Order Redmen

TECUMSEH TRIBE No. 81 meets at Pythian hall, 1112 Grove st., on Thursday evening, Jan. 6.
C. WALLBURG, C. of R., Pied. 716W

UNCAS TRIBE No. 127 meets at Odd Fellows bldg., 11th and Franklin. No Council New Year's Eve.
M. F. CLARK, Sachem.
D. B. LANTERMAN, C. of R. 761 18th st., Lakeside 6448.

LODGE NOTICES

I. O. O. F.

PORTER LODGE No. 272, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday evening in Porter hall, 1918 Grove st. Visiting Odd Fellows always welcome. Jan. 3, business meeting; nomination and election of officers. Brothers please take notice.
A. A. SMART, N. G.
O. F. JOHNSON, R. S.

OAKLAND LODGE No. 118 meets Tuesday evening, I. O. O. F. temple, 11th and Franklin. Tuesday evening, Next meeting: Tuesday, Jan. 4.
GEORGE FURBER, N. G.
J. M. HALL, Rec. Secy.

[illegible] LODGE No. 31, I. O. O. F., meets every second and fourth Fridays at 8 p. m. in Odd Fellows temple, 11th and Franklin sts.
Next meeting, Friday, Jan. 14, 1921, when the Golden Rule degree will be conferred on several candidates. Good attendance is requested, as business of importance is to be transacted, and the details of the joint installation at Berkeley, Jan. 24, 1921, are to be completed. Visitors cordially invited to meet with us.
ALFRED HOWARD, C. P.
G. C. HAZELTON, Rec. Scribe.

I.O.O.F. TEMPLE

FOUNTAIN LODGE No. 401, I. O. O. F., temple 11th and Franklin streets, every Wednesday evening.
Next meeting Jan. 5, at 7:30 o'clock. Regular meeting 8 o'clock. Visiting brothers welcome.
J. M. HUSBAND, V. G.
A. J. STURGEON, Rec. Sec.

BUNDLE OF STICKS

Meets I. O. O. F. building, 11th and Franklin streets. Regular meeting January 22. Saturday evening.
Election of officers.
The Patrol meets every Thursday evening and Sunday morning in the I. O. O. F. Temple, 11th and Franklin streets.
JAMES RYE, Big Stick.
J. M. HALL, S. S.

American Legion

OAKLAND POST No. 5 meets 1st and 3d Tuesdays in Moose hall, 12th and Clay streets.
Next meeting Tuesday, January 4.
FRED B. MELLMAN, Commander
W. T. HOPKINS, Acting Adjutant.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

of Oakland Post No. 5, A. L., meets Monday evening, January 3.
RUTH TORNBLOM, Pres.
RETA RUBY, Secy. 815 Syndicate bldg. Phone Elmhurst 1170.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

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COL. JOHN J. ASTOR POST No. 55 meets 1st and 3d Friday of each month, at 8 o'clock, Memorial hall, City hall, Oakland. Visitors cordially invited.
Next meeting January 7.
ALBERT G. WADDELL, Com.
GEO. D. POWERS, Adjutant.

LADIES' AUXILIARY to JOHN J. ASTOR POST meets 2d and 4th Wednesday at 8 o'clock, same hall. Visiting ladies cordially invited.
Next meeting January 12.
MRS. ELIZABETH JESSUP, Pres.
MRS. JENNIE LEEFMAN, Secy.

W. W. C. W.

The Women and Girl Workers of the Civil War meets Wednesday, Jan. 5, 1921, Memorial hall, City Hall. You are invited to join.
SARAH H. WILSON, Com.
ANNA A. CANNON Secretary.

UNITED SPAN. WAR VETS

JOSEPH H. McCOURT CAMP No. 13 meets Thursday, Jan. 13, Native Sons hall, Shattuck, near Center, Berkeley.
W. G. DECENSON, Com.
A. P. HANSCOM, Adj.

E. H. LISUM CAMP No. 7 meets Thursday evening, in Memorial hall, City hall, Oakland. All Spanish War veterans invited.
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2615 High st. Phone Fruitvale 2313J
M. W. SELLERS, Adj.
NOTE — Spanish War Veterans seeking employment or having vacancies report register with Dr. L. E. Axford, 564 Blake building.

BRITISH-AMERICAN

Great War Veterans' Association, Inc. Oakland Post No. 1. Please take notice that in the future this association will meet on Mondays in St. George hall at 25th and Grove streets.
Next meeting January 3.
R. SIMONDS, President.
FRED V. CLARK, Hon. Secretary.

SECURITY BENEFIT ASSOCIATION Successor to the

KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF SECURITY

OAKLAND COUNCIL No. 235, Security Benefit Association, meets every Friday night at Porter hall, 1918 Grove street. Organizers wanted.
Next meeting Friday, December 31.
W. W. Naylor, Dict. [illegible]
Frank Johnson, President, Lake. 2567.
Mary M. Johnson, Financier, Lake. 2567. Dorothy J. Theise, Fruit. 5483J.

KIRKPATRICK COUNCIL No. 1316, St. George hall, 25th and Grove streets. Business meetings are 1st and 3d Tuesday evenings at 8:15. Social evenings are 2d and 4th Tuesday evenings. Visitors are welcome.
Regular meeting, January 4.
J. W. LEITER, Pres.
3654 West st. Phone Piedmont 5992
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CUSTER COUNCIL No. 22 meets every Tuesday night, Pacific hall, 16th and Jefferson.
GEO. R. STETSON, Counselor
W. H. NELSON, Rec. Secy.

HERMANN'S SONS

CALIFORNIA LODGE No. 5 meets Jan. 6, 8 p. m., in Hermann Sons hall, 1127 West st., near 12th. Joint monthly dance. Edelweiss Lodge No. 2, every third Thursday.
HERMAN REICHERT, Pres. 1445 Alice st.
WM. LUEDDEKE, Financial Secy., 900 7th st. Oakland 2564.

United Artisans

GOLDEN GATE ASSEMBLY No. 62 meets 2nd and 4th Fridays of the month, 8 p. m., in Corinthian hall, Pacific bldg., 16th and Jefferson streets.
Next regular meeting, January 14.
ELNA C. KIRK, M. A.
E. JOHNSON, S. [illegible]

DANISH BROTHERHOOD

PACIFIC LODGE No. 23 meets every Tuesday evening at Danish hall, 164 11th st. Visiting brothers welcome.
J. JENSEN, President; Pivale, 879-J.
NICK ANDERSON, Cor. Secy.; phone Piedmont 8409.

LODGE NOTICES

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

OAKLAND LODGE No. 105 meets Thursday evening, Jan. 6, Pythian castle.
FRED JOHNSON, C. C.
JAS. DENNISON, K. R. and S.

PARAMOUNT LODGE No. 17 meets Pythian castle, 12th and Alice streets. Visitors welcome.
January 5, installation of officers.
LEON C. BABBITT, C. C.
J. R. DUNHAM, K. R. S.

[illegible] LODGE No. 121 meets Pythian castle, 12th and Alice st. [illegible]
R. and S. A. F. CARTER, C. C.
CARL F. WOOD, K. R. S.

LAKESIDE LODGE No. 172, K. of P., will [illegible] Jan. 6, Pythian castle, 12th and Alice streets.
INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR. Banquet will be held Monday evening, January 10, at the Key Route Inn. A good attendance is urged to attend the banquet.
ESQUIRE RANK, January 3.
LOUIS M. HORWITZ, C. C.
SYDNEY J. SILVERSTEIN, K. of R. and S.

ELM LODGE NO. 251 meets Tuesday evening, Jan. 4, [illegible] ave. and E. 12th st. Report has been received of the death of A. W. SCHAEDLER, C. C.
GEO. WENTWORTH, K. of R. and S.

PYTHIAN SISTERS

CALANTHE TEMPLE Pythian Sisters, meets every Thursday in Knights of Pythias castle.
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MRS. FLORENCE M. FURBER, M. of R. and C.

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G. M. BERGER, W. M.
F. V. CLARK, Secy.

MOOSE

OAKLAND MOOSE No. 323, L. O. O. M., [illegible] Friday evenings, Jan. 7, 12th and Clay streets.
WM. J. HAMILTON, Sec.

ALAMEDA MOOSE LODGE will hold their regular whist tournament every Saturday night, commencing Saturday night, November 20, at Moose hall, Alameda. Same management as last year.

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G. LIVINGSTON, Secretary, 2215 41st ave. Pied. 1[illegible]

B. P. O. E.

OAKLAND COUNCIL No. 171 [illegible] Special Tuesday, January 4, 1921, in Odd Fellows hall, 1128 Grove st. [illegible] Visiting brothers welcome. All visiting Elks welcome.

EAGLES

OAKLAND AERIE No. [illegible] meets Monday nights at 8 Eagle hall, 11th and Clay streets. Phone Oak. 2251 or Oak. 5197.
Dr. L. A. Stack, Physician, building, 1333 Washington st., phone Oakland 273, res. Merritt 2661, office hours 2 to 4, 7 to 8 daily, 10 to 12 Sundays. Leo Bertillion, W. Press; Henry Kroeckel, Secy., 160 12th st., Oakland Hall. Official druggist, Pressly, 1353 14th. Dues can also be paid here.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

OAKLAND COUNCIL No. 781 meets every Wednesday evening in Knights of Columbus auditorium, 536 [illegible] Regular meeting Wednesday evening, Jan. 5, 1921.
W. F. GUTHRIE, F. S. K.
FRANK J. McFADDEN, 17th st. K. C.

Y. L. I.

Oakland Div. No. 15 meets every [illegible] 4th Thursday at 8 p. m., Odd Fellows hall, Grove st. [illegible] All visiting Knights welcome.
MARY L. RHODES, Secretary.

B. A. Y.

OAKLAND HOMESTEAD No. [illegible] meets every Friday evening, 11th and Franklin streets.
Friday evening, Dec. 31, 1920, [illegible] Forman, Mrs. Gertrude Mongella, 5247 Lockeford st., Oakland. Phone Piedmont 1912. Mrs. [illegible] Corresponding Secretary, [illegible]

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BUNCH of keys. Please phone White Cross Market, 9th and Washington sts., daytime: Lake. 6161, or Merritt 1220 after 8 p. m.

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LOST AND FOUND—Continued

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ROOM and board ... "Business ...

27th AVE., 1... Fine ...

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BUSINESS woman wishes ... room with board ... Box 3811, Tribune.

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AAHMES HALL, 1256 Harrison st., day or night; seating capacity up to 500. For further information see recorder Aahmes Temple, 14th and Harrison.

FLATS

FLATS TO LET—UNFURNISHED

LOWER FLAT, 5 sunny rms., newly papered; 15 minutes' walk from city hall; rent $25. Inquire 1951 Telegraph ave.

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5 SUNNY rooms, well ... water, $40 a month. ... adults; no cars and ... Horace, bet. Ashby and ... Piedmont 1...

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APT. flat, one 4-rm. and one 3-rm., newly furn., elec., S. P. station, car ... Berkeley.

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NICELY furnished ... modern ... Merrit 4...

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5-RM. sunny furn. ...

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WANTED—Small furnished flat or cottage, East Oakland or Fruitvale. Reasonable. Address ...

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WE can't find the ... apartment, flat or house ... Call or write Fire Bert Barnes, ... BERNES, "Everything for Rent" ...

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HOUSES UNFURNISHED—WANTED

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BY young couple with infant, 3 or ... cottage, furnished preferred, in Oakland. Box 1681, Tribune.

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WANTED ... Box 3...

WANTED—By ... house, ... Berkeley or ... Box 3...

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FURNISHED ROOMS

ONE STUDIOS

... st. ... Oakland ...

LAKESHORE ... $6 ... 1111 San Pablo ave.

NEW ... 20th ave. and ...

HOUSES FOR SALE

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BUY THIS CORNER BUNGALOW

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... Oakland ...

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... st., near College ave., beautiful Craftsman bungalow, ... easy terms. Oak.

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FRUITVALE

... cottage, good buy. ... Fruitvale ave.

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MELROSE HEIGHTS

MODERN COTTAGE, $2650

3 Houses $6300

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HOUSES FOR SALE—Continued

SEE also "Building Trades"

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AFTER XMAS BARGAIN

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... PALATIAL HOME

EXCLUSIVE DISTRICT

... PARK BOULEVARD

$6500—$2000 DOWN

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TWO LOW PRICED BUNGALOWS

A four-room bungalow, small, neat and very modern, oak floors, fireplace, extra wall bed, many built-in features; electricity, gas, water, sewer, paved street; only a few steps to city trains; grade school two blocks; PRICE $3550; $350 DOWN, $25 month.

A five-room bungalow, particularly attractive exterior, complete with every modern feature, lot 30x100; one block to city trains, two blocks to street car, 400 block ... $600 DOWN, $19 month.

These places will just suit you. Prices good this week only. For sale by any agent, or call Lakeside 2428. (Sundays call Berkeley 1775. Any evening call Berk. 1790J.)

$500 DOWN

A Berkeley bargain, on terms, cottage 5 rooms, sleeping porch, basement; fine condition, garage, near Telegraph and ... Inquire ... possession. Does ... 2104 Deakin st.; Berkeley 4713.

4-ROOM ... basement, close ... and trains. Address ... Elmwood ...

5-RM. house, city water, near 40th and Pied. ... Tel. Oak. 9459.

9-RM. ... Oakland.

11-STORY bungalow, best neighborhood, modern, driveway, ... Phone Lake ...

... Frank ... Oakland.

... house; 6 ... driveway; ... mortgage 6%; can remain. Owner, Frank ... st., Oakland.

$500 DOWN

... beautiful ... bungalow; ... garage, lot ...

$100 DOWN

... 5-room, ... cottage, ... Lenhurst. 347 ...

CASH ...

LOTS FOR SALE—Continued

Sunday VILLA SITE SALES CO Sunday

COMPLETE MACADAMIZED STREETS—SEWER—WATER—ELECTRICITY—TELEPHONE NOW INSTALLED.

¼ ACRES IN DIMOND

where you are only 15 minutes' ride from the city hall. 6c car fare. Fine 50-foot, macadamized streets with sewer. East Bay Water Co. water, electricity, telephones, etc., now installed. We don't have to promise, as the improvements are in right now. Only four short level blocks to walk to two good street cars and the business center of Dimond, where you will find various stores, shops and a movie theater. Good school near. 60 homesites to choose from. Some ¼ acres in this district have fine bearing fruit trees. Terms as low as $85 cash down and $8.50 each month. There are some smaller homesites for as low as $55 and on terms of $7.50 cash and $5.85 each month. A small deposit will hold any homesite. We can arrange your terms so that you can buy your homesite. Build yourself a neat, small house and pay rent to yourself. I will be on the property all day Sunday to meet you. ... Foothill Ave. and Whittle street. (I will be near the red sign). Street car will take you to the junction of Hopkins street and Fruitvale Ave. Get off there and walk north on Fruitvale Ave. toward the hills four short blocks. You will see me there. For appointment, write, phone or call FERRIS WHEELER.

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PHONE OAKLAND 339. RES. PHONE PIEDMONT 3105W.

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OFFICE OPEN SUNDAY.

$700—TERMS

BIG RUSTIC HOMESITE

Fine graveled and oiled roads and East Bay Water Company water, etc., installed right now. You can build and live here immediately. Fine deep, rich soil suitable for growing fruit trees and berries. Good transportation to S. P. and Oakland. This is the best ¼-acre homesite in the entire new Montclair district.

To reach property by street car, take to end of Rock Ridge car line and ask the conductor to direct you to Glenwood Park. By motor, drive out McAdam street past the end of the Rock Ridge car line till you come to the new street work that was just completed. This new street leads to the center of the tract. I will be there all day Sunday to meet you. Look for banner on my auto. For definite appointment, write, phone or call on R. A. SMITH.

VILLA SITE SALES CO

918 SYNDICATE BUILDING, 1440 BROADWAY. Oakland 339

OFFICE OPEN SUNDAY.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Continued

$1500—4-RM. house, lot 75x100, East Oakland. Mer. 2231.

3-ROOM cottage, nr. 40th st. Key Route; price $950; terms. Owner, 1019 45th, cor. Adeline.

$5000—5-room cottage furnished; will sell unfurn.; lot 45x105, close to Key and S. P.; one block grammar school; immediate possession. 695 61st st. Pied. 1727J.

HOUSES WANTED

A—Make Your Lot Pay

We build on your lot. We furnish money. Phone, we call. Calif. Builders' Co., 1534 Franklin st.; Lake. 2428.

INCOME flat property, want car from $1000 to $5000. Berkeley 6171.

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We have buyers waiting for houses, flats and apartments, cash and terms. List your property with us. Phone or call

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HAVE 1917 Ford and $200 cash as first payment on modern bungalow in Melrose or Fruitvale; not over $3500. Box 3944, Tribune.

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TO GET QUICK RESULTS

list your East Oakland property at 6821 E. 14th st. Phone Elm. 817.

FLATS FOR SALE

FLATS close in only $125. Call 511 Filbert st.; terms.

$900—6-room flat; bskp. and single rooms. 541 23rd st. Oak. 2732.

BUSINESS PROPERTY FOR SALE

BUSINESS property located 3716 and 3720 East 14th st., store with living rooms, 7 room flat above; $7000, income 100%; the property will triple in value. W. T. Dyer, Fruitvale 3023W.

BUSINESS property, corner 7th and Brush streets; 22x60; rooms, stores, basement, warehouse, cellars. Will produce good income. Pied. 5157L.

2-STORY bldg., grocery store, 2 lots, 23d Ave., Richmond. Pt. Rich 1063.

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WONDERFUL VIEW ½-ACRE HOMESITE PRICE $650

... FINE WELL ½-ACRE ORCHARD

LOT SPECIALS

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... Bldg.

... Calif.

MINIATURE ORCHARD IN CITY LIMITS OF OAK.

8 APRICOT TREES

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$6.50 EACH MONTH

¼ ACRE

ALL FULL BEARING TREES IN GOOD CONDITION; ONLY 3 SHORT BLOCKS TO STREET CAR AND STORES; ON GOOD STREET; CITY WATER IN FRONT OF PROPERTY; FINE VIEW; LEVEL LAND; NICE NEIGHBORS; 1 ACRE ADJOINING AT SAME PRICE AND SAME TERMS. WILL SUBDIVIDE; TEMPORARY HOUSE PERMITTED; 15 MIN. RIDE TO CITY HALL; NO AGENTS. Box 13554, Tribune.

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Be your own landlord and have this — raise your own garden truck and chickens for almost nothing. Loganberries and blackberries will do exceptionally well in this fine sandy loam which does not bake and crack. This place is 224 feet deep. East Bay Water Co. water in front of property; frontage on good 50-ft. road; located in Dimond district, which is close to school, stores, movie, etc.; 6c carfare and only 15 min. ride to City Hall. 12 new homes now being built all around this property. Let me show you this wonderful lot; full price only $750. Small deposit will hold this for you. This is your chance—do it now. Box 12877, Tribune.

$45

FINE BIG LEVEL WOODED HOMESITE IN CENTRAL FRUITVALE. LOCATED IN A WARM BELT THAT IS SHELTERED AND PROTECTED FROM WIND AND FOG. SIZE 50x192. TEMPORARY HOME PERMITTED. CLOSE TO SCHOOL, STORES, CARS, ETC. CITY WATER AND ELECTRICITY AVAILABLE. NICE, FINE 50-FOOT STREET; 5c CARFARE AND ONLY 14 MIN. RIDE TO BROADWAY. YOU CAN BUILD ON THIS LOT IMMEDIATELY. THIS SALE PRICE IS JUST THE AMOUNT AT THE BANK. MORTGAGE AND YOU MAKE YOUR PAYMENTS EACH MONTH DIRECT TO THE BANK.

Box 3[illegible], TRIBUNE

IN FRUITVALE $3.10 PER MONTH

That pays $[illegible] for a wonderful homesite that has a street frontage of 40 feet at the rear of the lot and a depth of [illegible] feet. Sale price includes [illegible] and city water [illegible] of the property. [illegible] near [illegible] S. P. trains, etc. [illegible] trees on [illegible] what I [illegible] must dispose [illegible] a fore-[illegible] lot adjoin-[illegible] and same [illegible] or both. [illegible] small neat [illegible] sold by [illegible] Write at once [illegible] Box 3801.

[illegible] terms $[illegible] E. 14th [illegible]

[illegible] one [illegible] car line.

[illegible] 110x[illegible] on [illegible] very easy [illegible]

[illegible] level [illegible] $[illegible] cash. [illegible]

[illegible] ranch site close in. [illegible] level rich soil, warm [illegible] one block to E. 14th st. and move on [illegible] Franklin st.

LOTS FOR SALE—Continued

TWO ACRES OF THE RICHEST land in close-in acreage between Oakland and Hayward; 2 blocks to E 14th car; now ready to plant to fruit trees and early vegetables; price $2,200; easy terms; S. P. owner forced to sell on account of sickness McHenry & Ellis, 1425 Franklin st.

LAKESHORE ave., 50x115; $35 a foot. McHenry & Ellis, 1425 Franklin st

ACRE CLOSE IN
Half block north E 14th st. car, beautiful corner, level, rich soil, street work done, $900; terms, $180.
McHENRY & ELLIS
1425 Franklin

NORTH CRAGMONT: 5 of the best lots, $20-$50 cash, balance to suit. Owner, 1320 E. 32d.

SEE also "Building Tracts"

2-3 ACRE SNAP
on Foothill boulevard, close in, suitable for gasoline and oil station; level; rich soil; view of bay. $1000; easy terms McHenry and Ellis 1425 Franklin st

LOTS WANTED

A BARGAIN for cash in Lake District, 40 foot or five 40 foot lots; must be able to have driveway for auto. Builder, Box 4862, Tribune

A LARGE lot in Piedmont or would consider an acre; must be cheap, all cash. Builder, Box 4863, Tribune

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BERKELEY

$3500 CASH and balance like rent will purchase an immaculate home in Oakland across the street from Berkeley. This home, one story and a half, has a den, breakfast nook, 2 bedrooms living room, dining room on the first floor. Second floor has a finished bedroom and place for billiard room. A turn of the switch heats the house. Garage and many windows with a south and west exposure.

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MAJOR LOWNDES
WITH
MASON McDUFFIE
COMPANY
Berk. 200. Evenings B. 1911

$3500—5-room modern cottage in good condition, 1 short blk. from S. P. and Key station $1000 cash, bal. $30 a mo. 1511 Virginia st

BUNGALOW, 5 rooms, bath, huge living room, wonderful bay, hill view; lots of big windows; gum finish, concrete garage; blk. to St. Jos Peralta Academy, $1950; $2600 cash; bal. time. Phone Berk 2260J.

FRUITVALE REAL ESTATE

5 ACRES
In sunny upper Fruitvale 15 minutes from Broadway, Dimond district; flat, deep, rich, level soil, 50 fruit trees; deep well; abundance of water; 4 blocks to cars, 2 blocks to school; wonderful view. I live in Nevada. Will sacrifice; terms Box 4175, Trib.

COUNTRY REALTY

ACRES
BET. OAKLAND AND HAYWARD. VEGETABLE, FRUIT AND BERRY LAND.
IDEAL CLIMATE FOR POULTRY.
"Two-thirds acre 110x265, fronting on the boulevard, $700, one-fifth cash. 10,000 people pass this property every holiday and Sunday. "Sell your produce direct."

rich soil $1000, terms $150.
Over one acre 250 feet south of the Foothill blvd: $800, terms $115 cash; 3 blocks to car.
2-acre, suitable for nursery; ½ block to street car; $800 terms $160 cash; finest soil in California
¾-acre, 100 feet from E. 14th st. car; level, rich soil sheltered by 7-year-old trees; ideal spot for chickens; price $900 $150 cash

GARDEN ACRES
McHENRY & ELLIS.
1425 Franklin St. Oakland 6698

TREVOR & CO., 22 Montgomery, S. F.

ACRE, rich soil, 45 bearing apricot trees, good 5-rm. house, tank, gas, engine, chicken houses, close to Hayward. Owner Pied 6628W.

CLOSE IN—5.62 acres at station, 3-r ctge., well; $1300. Putnam, Walnut Creek, or Pied. 6050

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 5-acre chicken ranch on Lake Chabot; one mile from Castro Valley road, splendid house and other improvements, will consider terms. See owner, 5249 4th st., Oakland, Calif.

INCOME FARM
200 acres finest loam soil, 35 acres vines and nuts; two sets farm buildings; 22 miles Oakland, price $.0,000; terms or will take income for half. Putnam, Walnut Creek, or Pied 6050

ORANGE lemon, walnut grove investment. Information, write J. Clem Arnold, 2160 Los Ang Athletic Club, L. A.

3320 ACRES
Profit in this ranch. Nearly all tillable; 1500 acres level, 400 acres creek bottom land, 200 acres in irrigation dist, balance easy pumping proposition; 2500 acres fenced hog tight, balance fenced 3 wires 4 feet; buildings; 7 miles of Cottonwood on good road; Al for fruit or alfalfa. Price $12 per acre. Terms arranged.
E. T. MINNEY,
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Oakland 1550

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GOOD HOME and $750 for LOT worth about $750 Box 4077, Tribune

HAVE 8 lots corner Brookdale and Short, exchange for house. 2624 Short st, 18th ave car

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THAN APPLICATIONS.
If you want to borrow on real estate See me at once.
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1421 Broadway.

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PRIVATE money on hand; no commission. F. E. McGurrin, First Savings Bank Building.

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$500 WANTED at 7%, 3-5 years, first class second mortgage on 7-room house and one hundred seventy-five foot corner lot, modern in Fruitvale. Address P. O. Box 371, Oakland, Calif.

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WE LOAN to salaried people, housekeepers and others; when in need of a loan, see us. Room 609, 593 Market street, San Francisco.

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Liberty Bonds and W. S. S.
Bought, cash paid 1130 Broadway

OLD established business house, selling musical instruments on lease contract having more paper than they wish to carry offers for sale at this time some of these eight per cent notes at a discount of eight per cent, collections guaranteed, sixteen per cent on investment; and no risk $2000 to $5000 required. Box 4102, Tribune

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MONEY LOANED — CALIFORNIA LOAN OFFICE
Liberty Bonds
California Loan Office
California's Largest Pawnbrokers.
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THE San Francisco Remedial Loan Association, 932 Mission st, cor. Mint avenue, opposite U. S. mint; phone Kearny 5349. Money to loan on pledges and diamonds, watches, jewelry and other articles of value at 1% per month.
Money to loan chattels, consisting of household effects, furniture pianos, etc., at 1% a month on unpaid balance, 5% fee
Transactions held confidential. Chattel loans also made in Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.

LODGE HOUSES, ETC.

HOTELS, APARTMENT HOUSES FOR SALE AND LEASE

A BARGAIN
$400 takes this 9-room house keeping, rent $50, east of Broadway, clearing $65 and your own apt
J. H. BROWN
420 15th st.

APT HOUSES HOTELS for sale, $500 up; it will pay you to call at 379 14th st before buying. We loan 50% of purchase price.

A SNAP—The furniture of a 4-room bungalow, all new, ready to move in; rent $30, water free; ½ block off Broadway. Inquire at 1525 Jefferson.

APT HOUSE for sale; centrally located; first class condition, $8000 cash, must sell on account of sickness. Box 3296, Tribune

APT house close in, new furn, good lease, shows 30% on investment and apt, $3000. Box 1663, Trib

A GOOD ROOMING HOUSE CHEAP 1506 WEBSTER ST

FOR QUICK SALE—$1500, terms, dandy 11 rooms in apt, oak furniture, fine carpets, clean, sunny, rent $40, clears $100 month near P. O. See Mr Holm 160 11th st

WILL sacrifice 10-room lodging house, gar., good, furnished for $700; terms, 2-year lease, net income $60 month and apt., downtown cor. See Mr. Holm, 460 11th street

LODGING HOUSES, ETC. WANTED

Flats and Apartments Wanted
We have cash buyers NOW for this class of property.
SEE S H MASTERS
PAGE & WHITE
1300 Webster St.

BUSINESS CHANCES

CLEANING AND PRESSING
Dyeing, tailor, same owner several years; best equipment, liv rms; Hoff- only $1200, terms. Mr Holm, 160 11th

CORNER cash grocery store, established two years, income $45 a day; terms arranged; nice sunny living rooms, must sell account of sickness. Mr. Holmes 160 11th st

CANDY and ice cream, certified fine fix, good bus place, lady owns it and not able to run it, poor health 2367 San Pablo

COR. GROCERY AT SALE
Fixtures less than 2d-hand value Invoice stock. Oak 6681

EXAMINER route for sale, good opportunity; give terms to right party. Phone Lakeside 2716

FIRST class grocery and bakery shop; will sell baking end or whole, a bargain for cash; finest location, cash trade. Call 421 E 10th st

FOR SALE—Auto repairing and machine shop, fully equipped, good location and lease. Box 9942 Trib

FOR TRADE—A $3000, 1918 coupe used very little for a hotel, rooming house or poolroom of equal value or as part pay. Box 3085, Tribune

FOR SALE—Tailor Shop and cleaning business. Phone Lakeside 6140

FOR SALE grocery store 7th and Chestnut. Lakeside 3166

GROCERY—Good trade, clean stock, living rooms 7701 E 14th st

GROCERY STORE—Must be sold, reas. Oak. 4510.

LIVE GROCERY—$750; SACRIFICE. Doing over $[illegible] month, good profits $630; no Ford delivery, good fixtures, fine clean groceries, no competition, living rooms. Oak 917

LUNCH counter, well equipped location in Oak, long lease. Marlette 423 12th street

PARTNERSHIP Gasoline station offered reliable man, will stand strictest investigation, price $1500. 79 Bacon bldg

RESTAURANT—Sacrifice, near station, $450 buys half interest including furniture a bargain. 826 Foley

SHOE SHOP, $1500. 1001 Central, Ala

to quick buyer 5315 14th st., Lim

BUSINESS WANTED

A LADY wishes to buy small grocery or lunch stand, will pay $150 down bal. on terms, not over $800. Box 3410, Tribune

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

A FEW electric washers, slightly used, guaranteed same as new machine at $10 off regular price. L. H. Pollock Co. 1538 Broadway. Phone Oakland 740

A SPECIAL 6-piece set of aluminum ware for $10. Meehan's Hardware Co., 712 Broadway. Oak 1253

BABY BUGGY—Good wicker, nearly new, very reasonable. 1977 Webster ave. E. Oakland

BICYCLE—Lady's new, cheap. 805 Eastman ave., 28th ave car

BICYCLE—All conditions. 1111 11th st

CLOTHING of all description. See Wearing Apparel for this classification

CANDY STORE fixtures. Buy, sell, exchange. Sardell, 3712 San Pablo.

COUCH double [illegible] new. 1230 7th. Oak 3538

FOR fruit, vegetable or season goods with etc., see Farm and Dairy Products following this classification

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FERTILIZER Fine dry manure. $6 a cart. ASHBY NURSERY [illegible] 1475

FUR coat, Coney seal, bargain. Pied. 5466J.

I HAVE a brand new copper on the washer will gas burned will sell for $30 less than cost. Ph O. 6183. Mr. Tyhirst.

J. R. ROGERS, Berk 1597W—Manure sandy loam 7 yds $3, lawns.

LADY'S gold watch, price $12. 1023 Harrison st.

NEW ROSES—GET THEM NOW; ASHBY NURSERY, 2906 ELLSWORTH. BERK. 1475.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS—Con

PAINT
Liberty extra heavy outside white, contains linseed oil, lead and zinc at $3 a gal; washable enamel paint in white or any old ivory, gray and blue at $3.75 a gal. Liberty Paint [illegible] $1 a gal. Leak-not heavy black roof paint stops leaks in shingle tin or paper roofs, per gal, $1.00.
Quality wallpaper lowest prices
LIBERTY WALLPAPER AND PAINT CO.
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CHRIS NELSON CO.
2332 E. 14th
Phone Fruitvale 17

WM DILLNER

RIFLE—45-70 Winchester, Ala 3417

SCALES [illegible] ton, $40, 20-lb electric Angelus, $50. Toledo 470, 332 12th st, Oakland opp gasoline station bet Harrison and Webster

SINGER sew mach $10. 3585 College [illegible]

TINNYSON NURSERY CO.
Roses assorted $5 per doz. Everything for garden orchard. Fly 208

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WHITE enamel bed with pure silk floss mattress, 1 only floor lamp, bargains. 12 [illegible]

WILL [illegible] Gem Washer [illegible] Mt Wash. 1721 Telegraph

1 Packard gas range 3 3-burner gas plate, 1 Garland water heater, 2 cords of dry oak and [illegible] 1 baby carriage, 1 [illegible] Kubota Farm Boxing [illegible] 211 Seminary ave East Oak

1 GARLAND [illegible] $15. Regal Corner [illegible] Berk 2711

[illegible] ft second-hand lumber all kinds, doors windows and brick. At 1231 Broadway Alameda

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

AA-Clothing Bought
$7.50 and up for gent's suits, also ladies clothing, jewelry, rugs, etc. Positively highest prices. Call anytime anywhere. Golden West Clothing Co. 409 12th st. Phone Lake 4185

ATTENTION
Second Emporium
I buy and sell ladies' and gent's clothing. Highest prices paid. Phone Oakland 8902 or Res. Ala. 1421W and we will call. Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley. A. Heilman, 706-1 Clay st

ABSOLUTELY best prices men's, ladies' children's clothes. Muller, 780 8th. Phone Lakeside 2921.

AAA—Clothing wanted, pay $6 to $50 for gent's suit. 461 8th. Oak 5358

DIAMONDS
OLD GOLD AND SILVER BOUGHT. FULL VALUE PAID. H. LOEB Mgr. JEWELER.
457 17TH, ROOM 27.

I WANT a first-class 10x5-foot billiard table. Cal M. Crossley, Oak. 718 1127 Jefferson

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WANTED: Steamer trunk Berk. 8581

BOOKS WANTED

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W. E. YORK, Master.
AVENS, Secretary.

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al Union Assurance Society. 3rd Friday evgs. Sec. 1330 Bdy.

nd Circle No. 226, N. O. W., 8:30 p. m. Clerk, Oak. 8316.

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LUISE SMITH, Oracle, Lake. 544
ENCE WRIGHT, Recorder, Moss avenue. Piedmont 5305.

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FELTON, Rec. Secy.
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FORESTERS OF AMERICA
COURT U. S. OF AMERICA No. 38 meets at Pythian castle, 12th and Alice sts., Dec. 30, regular meeting and initiation.
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Lakeside 1567.

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS
COURT ADVOCATE No. 7378, at Jenny Lind hall, 2229 Telegraph av. Friday eve., Dec. 31
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JAS. McCRACKEN, Secy., 4103 Piedmont avenue.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS
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LODGE NOTICES

I. O. O. F.
PORTER LODGE No. 272, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday evening in Porter hall, 1918 Grove st. Visiting Odd Fellows always welcome. Jan. 3, business meeting; nomination and election of officers. Brothers please take notice.
A. A. SMART, N. G.
O. F. JOHNSON, R. S.

OAKLAND LODGE No. 118 meets Tuesday evening, I. O. O. F. temple, 11th and Franklin. Tuesday evening. Next meeting, Tuesday, Jan. 4.
GEORGE FURRER, N. G.
J. M. HALL, Rec. Secy.

GOLDEN RULE ENCAMPMENT No. 34, I. O. O. F., meets every second and fourth Fridays at 8 p. m., in Odd Fellows temple, 11th and Franklin sts. Next meeting, Friday, Jan. 14, 1921, when the Golden Rule degree will be conferred on several candidates. A good attendance is requested, as business of importance is to be transacted, and the details of the joint installation at Berkeley, Jan. 24, 1921, are to be completed. Visitors cordially invited to attend.
ALFRED HOWARD, C. P.
G. C. HAZELTON, Rec. Scribe.

I.O.O.F. TEMPLE
FOUNTAIN LODGE No. 401, I. O. O. F., temple 11th and Franklin streets, every Wednesday evening.
Next meeting December 29, at 7:30 o'clock. Short meeting, 8 o'clock, attend the meeting with the Elks lodge, 420 14th st.
J. M. HUSBAND, V. G.
A. J. STURGEON, Rec. Sec.

BUNDLE OF STICKS
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Election of officers.
The Patrol meets every Thursday evening and Sunday morning in the I. O. O. F. Temple, 11th and Franklin streets
JAMES RYE, Big Stick.
J. M. HALL, S. S.

American Legion
OAKLAND POST No. 5 meets 1st and 3d Tuesdays in Moose hall, 12th and Clay streets.
Next meeting Tuesday, January 4.
FRED B. MELLMAN, Commander
W. T. HOPKINS, Acting Adjutant.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY
of Oakland Post No. 5, A. L., meets Monday evening, January 3.
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GEO. D. POWERS, Adjutant.

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Next meeting January 12.
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MRS. JENNIE LEFFMAN, Secy.

W. W. C. W.
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SARAH H. WILSON, Com.

UNITED SPAN. WAR VETS
JOSEPH H. McCOURT CAMP No. 13 meets Thursday, Jan. 13, Native Sons hall, Shattuck, near Center, Berkeley.
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A. P. HANSCOM, Adj.

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BRITISH-AMERICAN
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Next meeting January 3.
R. SIMONDS, President.
FRED V. CLARK, Hon Secretary.

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KIRKPATRICK COUNCIL No. 2316, St. George hall, 25th and Grove streets. Business meetings are 1st and 3d Tuesday evenings and social meetings are 2d and 4th Tuesday evenings. Visitors are welcome.
Regular meeting, January 4.
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Jr. Order United American Mechanics
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WM. LUEDDEKE, Financial Secy., 500 7th st. Oakland 1564.

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GOLDEN GATE ASSEMBLY No. 62 meets 1st and 4th Fridays of the month, 8 p. m., in Corinthian hall, Pacific bldg 16th and Jefferson streets.
Next regular meeting, January 14.
December 30, 8:15 p. m., Christmas tree party for members and their friends. Come.
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AUG. JOHNSON, Secretary.

DANISH BROTHERHOOD
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NICK ANDERSON, Cor. Secy.; phone Piedmont 8405.

LODGE NOTICES

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
OAKLAND LODGE No. 103 meets Thursday evening, Dec. 30.
FRED JOHNSON, C. C.
JAS. DENNISON, K. R. and S.

PARAMOUNT LODGE No. 17 meets Pythian castle, 12th and Alice streets. Visitors welcome.
January 5, installation of officers.
LEON C. BABBITT, C. C.
J. B. DUNHAM, K. R. S.

DIRIGO LODGE No. 224 meets in Pythian castle, 12th and Alice sts., Tuesday evening January 4.
A. F. CARNEY, C. C.
CARL F. WOOD, K. of R. and S.

LAKESIDE LODGE No. 142, K. of P., will meet next Monday evening, January 3, 1921, at 8:30 p. m., at the Pythian castle, 12th and Alice streets. INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR. Banquet will be held Monday evening, January 10th, at the Key Route Inn. A good attendance is urged to attend the banquet.
ESQUIRE BANK, January 5.
LOUIS M. HORWITZ, C. C.
SYDNEY J. SILVERSTEIN, K. of R. and S.

ELM LODGE NO. 234 meets Tuesday evening, Jan. 4, 922 ave. and E. 14th st. Regular business session.
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F. V. CLARK, Secy.

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WM. J. HAMILTON, Sec.

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G. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.
2215 21st ave. Ftvl. 3019W

U. C. T.
OAKLAND COUNCIL No. 394, United Commercial Travelers of America meets in Pythian castle hall, 12th and Alice sts., 2d and 4th Friday evenings of the month. Next meeting Friday evening, January 14.
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W. J. KIEFERDORF, G. K.
FRANK L. McGILLAN, Fin. Secy.

Y. L. I.
Oakland Inst. No. 15 meets every 2d and 4th Thursday, at Jenny Lind hall, Telegraph, near 22d. All visiting members welcome.
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MARY L. RHODES, Secretary.

B. A. Y.
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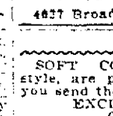
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FILBERT ST., 1530—Kitchenette, din- ing rm. and front rm., adults, phone.

FILBERT ST., 911—Furnished 2-room suite, bath; for 2 adults.

GROVE ST., 1430—Berkeley; house- keeping rooms for business people; no children; on car line; conv. to S. P. trains.

GROVE, 2[illegible]—1 and 2-rm. housekp., gas and elec., nr. city trains; adults.

JONES ST., 619—Two furnished rooms, good for working girl; walk. dis.; $20. Tel. Oak. 4733.

LAKE ST., 132—Housekeeping room, overlooking the lake, hot and cold water. Phone Oak. 2924.

LINCOLN AVE., 1630, Alameda — Sunny suite, bath, ph., gas, elec., slp. pch.

MYRTLE ST., 2041—A sunny hkpg. room, permanent, $8, central.

MADISON ST., 1340—Sunny basement room; rent $10 per mo.

PARK ST., 1715, Alameda — 3 nicely furnished 2-room housekeeping apts., one 3-room housekeeping for gen- tleman; new management.

SUNNY room, kitchenette, private home; ideal loc., close in. Oak. 5243.

SAN PABLO AVE., 1842—Front room, kitchen; also single rooms.

SAN PABLO, 1834—Nice front room with kitchen, close in.

SINGLE light hkpg rms. 0. 3307 after 6 p. m.

TWO sun. rms., partly furn., in at- tractive private home. Fruit. 2673.

VALDEZ ST., 2322—Sunny rm., suit- able lady emp.; walk. dist., 2 blks E. Bdwy.

14TH ST., 1024—3 large rms.; clean; suitable 4 adults; rent $40.

14TH ST., 175—Housekeeping room, close in, $5 per week.

19TH ST., 555—1 front rm., kitchen- ette, newly papered, ready tonight.

13TH ST., 107—Large furnished room with kitchen; facing lake.

20TH ST., 918—Furn. sunny front rm. [illegible]

FLATS TO LET—UNFURNISHED Continued

UPPER FLAT 6 rooms and garage; fine neighborhood; rent $50. Ph. Oak. 5697.

UNFURNISHED flat; 5 rooms; to adults. 471 29th st.; $45.

4 ROOMS, unfurnished; steam heat; mod. apt. flat. 1558 Webster st.

5-RM. upper flat, nr. K. R. and S. P. Merritt 1004, after 7 p. m.

FLATS UNFURNISHED—WANTED

3 TO 5-room flat or bungalow by Jan. 4; two adults. Box 4671, Tribune.

FLATS TO LET—FURNISHED

BEAUTIFUL 4-rm. fur. flat, overlook- ing lake, adults, references, $75. Lakeside 1604.

FINE rm. sunny upper flat; close to trains; 5 blocks to retail district; rent $20; adults only. Owner, Oak. 5314. 1628 West st., 10 to 4.

NICELY furnished 4-room flat with sleeping porch, modern. Phone Merritt 4838.

3 RMS., bath; nicely furn., at S. P. station on local car line; rent $45; includes light, water, phone; adults. [illegible] Berk.

4-RM. sunny furn. flat. 188 10th st.

10TH AVE., 2125—Beautiful lower floor, mod. 5-rms., hall, gar.; $60.

FLATS, FURNISHED—WANTED

WANTED—Small furnished flat or cottage, East Oakland or Fruitvale. Reasonable. Address C. A. Smith, 420 Chenery st., S. F., Calif.

HOUSES

UNFURNISHED

A NEW 5 rm. modern bungalow and garage. 1297 58th ave.

FOR LEASE—Available Feb. 1, splendid 5-rm. home overlooking the lake; finest view in city; close to auditorium and Key Route; rent $125. Mr. Wiggin, 1706 Broadway.

FURNITURE of four-room cottage for sale cheap; cottage for rent on or before 12th of January; large ground; rent reas. 321 E. 10th st.

IF you can't find the bungalow, apartment, flat or house you want, visit our Free Rent Bureau. If it's for rent, we have it.

BREUNER'S
"Everything for the House."
CLAY, AT 15TH.

MODERN 6-room house, inlaid furn.; garage. Key at 4040 San Juan ave., off Rosedale ave., Fruitvale.

5-ROOM bungalow, $32.50; and fur- niture for sale; great sacrifice. Phone owner, Alameda 2992W.

1ST OF JAN.—6-room new mod. bun- galow, sleeping porch, gar., near S. P.; $65; water free; lawn cared for. 1082 57th st., near San Pablo.

5-RM. house, basement; lot 77x150 ft., $25. Owner, 3143 Eastman ave.

6-ROOM house, 1009 Santa Clara ave., Alameda, or phone Box 5626.

3 ACRES and house; Joaquin Miller rd., 12 blks from car; $20. 1625 Clay.

HOUSES, UNFURNISHED—WNTD.

A MODERN 5-room bungalow or home on or before Feb. 1, by two adults; first-class care, option of buying. Box 13888, Tribune.

BY responsible young couple with no children, 5-room unfurn. bung., or would consider upper flat in East Oak., nr. S. P., between now and Jan. 15. Box 1746, Tribune.

HOUSE or flat, not over 5 rms., by re- sponsible party; rent reasonable. Fruitvale 548W.

WANTED, 3 or 4-room house or flat; 2 small children. 1302 95th ave.

HOUSES TO LET—FURNISHED

FROM Jan. 1, 5 rooms and enclosed sleeping porch, completely fur- nished, including piano; garage; good neighborhood; close to cars and school; references required; [illegible]

FURNISHED cottage, 6 rooms, loca- tion near 27th and Myrtle st.; rent $30 net.

SUTTON & HOWKINS,
122 Broadway.

TO LEASE for one year, small, well- furnished house or bungalow; Lakeside district. Box 4841, Trib.

TO LEASE—5-rm. house, furn. or un- furn. See at 510 Haight ave., Ala.

3 ROOMS and bath, furnished, $22. Call after 6 p. m. 1970 85th st., Oak- land. Pied. 5298W.

HOUSES, FURNISHED—WANTED

RENT part home. Cager. Pied. 2616J.

WANTED—Furnished house, apart- ment or flat; responsible adults Piedmont 708.

WANT to rent small furnished house. 2 adults. J. C. L., Apt. 25, 71 10th street.

YOUNG couple desires 4 or 5-room flat or house by January 12; rent reasonable; references. Box 3107, Tribune.

1 OR 5-RM. cottage furnished; near 23d ave. or in Fruitvale; wanted at once, responsible party. Box 3302, Tribune.

OFFICES, STORES AND STUDIOS

LARGE loft to lease, steam heat, ele- vator service. 1414 San Pablo ave.

NEW store, corner 38th ave. and Al- endale. 3501 Alendale ave.

7 LARGE offices, cor. 11th and Broad- way; will rent or lease as whole or in suites; suitable for tailor, shoe store or dentist, large advertising space; rent reasonable. See Dr. Cohn 1027 Broadway.

HOUSES FOR SALE

ALL BARGAINS

$3500—$700 cash, 6-rm. and sleeping porch and garage; large lot; Fruitvale, convenient car ser- vice.

$4850—Terms, 5-room cement bung- alow, floors throughout, on 27th ave.; beautiful home. See Mr. GORDON with PAGE & WHITE, 37th and Webster.

A 5-ROOM CEMENT

modern bungalow; hardwood floors, room for driveway, 4th Ave. Terrace. Price $4500; $500 cash, bal. monthly.

CHAS. F. BROWN
1707 Broadway.

A MODERN 5-room cottage, Albany, $4000, terms. Phone Piedmont 976.

A 4-ROOM, mod. bungalow; built 3 yrs.; $4000, $2000 cash. 3164 18th st.

BUNGALOW
Near Grand Ave.

Cement and stained gum wood- work, breakfast room, 2 bedrms. and enclosed sleeping porch, hardwood floors, basement, paved garage; $4,500.

ALBERT E. NORMAN
1706 Broadway Oakland 998

A-1 BUNGALOW, $4750

Near Fruitvale station; 5 rooms and sleeping porch, garage, hdwd. floors, gum panels, tapestry paper; price re- duced $150. Pick it up.

R. O. McCLINE
1215 Fruitvale Ave. Fruitvale 1804.
Open Sundays.

BUY THIS CORNER BUNGALOW

and save $1000; 6 lovely sunny rooms, 3 of which are bedrooms; hdwd. floors throughout, perfect cabinet kitchen with breakfast nook, choice wall pa- pers, high grade lighting fixtures, laundry, garage, large lot; close to street cars and S. P. trains. Price $5400, easy terms. Nothing can com- pare with it for the price. See or phone M. C. Billman, representing

MUTUAL REALTY CO.
1437 Broadway, Oakland.
Lakeside 4800. No. 3008-H

If you see it in The TRIBUNE tell them so.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Continued

BIG BARGAIN

3 Rooms, large lot; street finished; $1700; $550 cash, balance terms.

5-Room modern cottage; hardwood floors; basement; lot 50x150; $3750; $1000 cash, bal. terms. 4142 E. 14th.

LAUFMAN REALTY CO.

BARGAIN—BY OWNER

6-r. mod. bung., sunny, 40x130, gar., near Idora Park, schools, stores, S. P., K. R. and cars; vacant; $5000; easy terms. Key 1012 Easton bldg.

BEAUTIFUL furnished 6-room house, in good location; close to cars; owner leaving for Europe; $1500 will handle. See owner, 1573 E. 27th street.

COZY home, 4 rooms, large lot, fine garage, berries, fruit trees, flowers, near trains; $2600; $500 down or 8% reduction for cash. 2208 Vicks- burg ave., Melrose.

FURNISHED BUNGALOW

4 rooms, modern, 50x100 ft. lot; big garage; 8 fruit trees; dandy location; only $3300 for everything except pi- ano, including bedding and dishes; [illegible] monthly including interest. Call early and avoid rush. Peoples Realty Co., 1330 Washington st., rooms 9 and 10, next to Maxwell's.

FRUITVALE AVE.

Lot 140x200; 6 rms.; windmill and tank; electric pump; big bargain for $6500; terms.

ALBERT E. NORMAN
1706 Broadway Oakland 998

FOR SALE—Large lot and small cot- tage; nice lawn; sidewalks, and all street work done. Will sell if taken immediately. Owner, 1947 16th ave., East Oakland.

GRAND AVE.

Cement residence, reception hall, living rm., dining rm., gum wood- work, large breakfast rm., kitchen, basement, furnace, heater, 4 bedrms., hardwood floors throughout, 3 blocks to Key Route, Lakeview school and stores.

ALBERT E. NORMAN
1706 Broadway Oakland 998

GOOD [illegible] painted, papered; lot 40x204; East Oakland; price $3500; $500 down; $25 per mo. Phone Fruitvale 599-W.

I AM leaving; must sell my modern cement bungalow of 5 rooms and slp. pch.; oak floors throughout; finished in French gray, easy terms. See owner, 2621 35th ave.

"IT'S A SNAP"

6-r. bung., hdwd. floors, 2 blocks of Tech high school; $4750; snap. Chesney, 314 Syndicate Bldg.

Lake Shore Boulevard

Owner must leave for east this week; sacrifice my home for $9000, terms, $2700 down; $65 month, she says. 2-story cem.; 3 bedrooms, glassed in slp. pch.; hardwood flrs. throughout; tile bath, shower, inst. heater, furnace, cem. basement, ga- rage, breakfast nook; all rooms papered with expensive tapestry paper; finished in beautiful southern gum; plenty of sun, view lot; posi- tively $3000 below market value.

LEWIS & MITCHELL, INC.
428 15th st. Lakeside 860
Ask for Mr. Gould

LEAVING FOR IRELAND

Must return old country, will sac- rifice my lovely lake district home; cement bungalow, 5 rms., hdwd floors, servant room, large lot, near Grand ave. and schools and K. R.; completely furnished 3 months ago by W. & J. Sloane. Choice draperies, Wilton rugs, lovely living rm., din- ing rm. and bedrm. sets. Everything goes. Worth $8000. Price $6900 $2500 cash. Must and will be sold Friday. For appointment phone owner, Mr. Gordon, Oak. 6548 or Lakeside 2700.

MODERN COTTAGE, $2650

Terms; close in; 4 rooms, 2 bed- rooms; large lot, 40x165; large ga- rage; handy to K. R. and S. P. McHenry and Ellis, 1425 Franklin St.

MUST SELL at big bargain, 12 rm. house, newly renovated, suitable for housekeeping or a rooming house; big lot, 2 blocks campus and Tele- graph ave., best street in Berkeley; low price, terms. Phone owner, Berkeley 2686.

NEW bungalow, not quite finished; in beautiful, sunny, East Oakland; 5 rooms, sleeping pch.; breakfast nook; white enameled kitch. and bath; garage; every nice fixture built in. For quick sale, on account of sickness. Owner, L. O. John- son, 1933 68th avenue.

NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOWS, $4750. Only $300 cash, complete home; you'll say so. 4217 Sutter st., nr. High. Owner, Elm 462.

NEW house, nearly completed; four rooms, bath; breakfast nook and large basement; cor. 9th ave. and East 28th st. See owner on job.

NEW 4 R. house, 50 ft. lot, st. work, 72d ave.; $3000; terms. 3327 Abbey st., J ear.

NEW modern home, garage; close in, $350 down. 2538 14th av.

SEE also "Building Trades."

OH, MAMMA, LOOK, THIS BUY.
AFTER XMAS BARGAIN

125-acre ranch; 6-room house; two barns; 15 acres prunes, 5 acres grapes, 5 horses, 2 wagons, 60 chickens, 1 hog, all tools and implements, only $12,000 for everything; 1/2 condition; must be sold at once. Call Peoples Realty Co., 1330, Washington st., Rooms 9 and 10, next to Maxwell's.

PURCHASE FROM OWNER

Block of bungalows, choice of 2 left, 6 rooms, slp. porch, break. rm. fin- ished in light oak, polished oak floors, papered, dry basement, garages, fences, gates, block College ave. car, Key Route Hudson st., Poly High. Homes are $5001-$500 Broadway owner on premises, 6-8 Hodges.

PIEDMONT BEAUTY

Consisting of 8 rms., 3 bedrms., s. p., oak floors, double frontage; price $6500, terms.

MOREY & BRASHER
No. 150 41st st., near Piedmont ave. Phone Piedmont 868.

PAY ONLY $300 DOWN

4-room bungalow; modern, with garage, only $1900; pay $300 cash, bal- ance $25 monthly including interest. Come early to our office, first come, first served. Peoples Realty Co., 1330 Washington st., rooms 9 and 10, next to Maxwell's.

SOME SNAPS
Excelsior Ave.

Sunny 5-room earth home, located on the corner of Excelsior ave. and Capel st., between Lakeshore ave. and Park blvd. Lot 88x120; close to car, surrounded by fine residences. Price $8150.00.

12th St.

4-room house, lot 74x98 ft. w. cor. 12th and Chestnut, used as present for housekeeping. Income $150. Price $3850.

New Cement Apartments

Two 3-rm. and two 4-rm. with breakfast nook, hardwood floors, beautiful tapestry paper, 1-room ce- ment bungalow adjoining. Income $175. Located corner 57th and Adeline sts. Owner, Pied. 3423.

SACRIFICE SALE

Leaving for Los Angeles; will sell my new six-room bungalow worth $6500 for $5500 and include $500 fur- niture and all furnishings; new gar- age just completed; right terms to right party. Box 4810, Tribune.

SACRIFICE

Alameda, 5-rm. bungalow, 2 blks. from business section; going south Pied. 3900J.

UP-TO-DATE bungalow, Rockridge dist. 5304 Manila ave. Pied. 7675W

HOUSES FOR SALE—Continued

TWO
LOW PRICED
BUNGALOWS.

A four-room bungalow, small, neat and very modern; oak floors, fire- place, extra wall bed, many built-in features; electricity, gas, water, sew- er, paved street; only a few steps to city trains; grade school two blocks; PRICE $2550; $350 DOWN, $35 month.

A five-room bungalow, particularly attractive exterior, complete with every modern feature; lot 39x100; one block to city trains, two blocks to street car and school. PRICE $2950; $600 DOWN, $40 month.

These places will just suit you. Prices good this week only. For sale by any agent, or call Lakeside 7428. (Sundays call Berkeley 3371. Any evening call Berk. 1790J.)

VACANT
CENTRAL OAKLAND

$500 down, balance like rent, gives possession of 5-rm. bung., S. [illegible] od local transportation. M. New[illegible] 901 Federal Bldg. Oakland 216 Sher- litt 2576.

VACANT—Bargain, 5-rm. [illegible] se and garage; in good shape; $2250; $300 cash, $25 month. No. 1200 53rd st. [illegible]

$500 DOWN

A Berkeley bargain; on terms; cot- tage 6 rooms, sleeping porch, base- ment; fine condition; garage; near Telegraph and S. P. Immediate pos- session. Don't fail to see it. Owner, 3104 Deakin st.; Berkeley 3713J.

$500 DOWN

5-rm. new modern bungalow; total $3500. Mr. Sprague, 1635 Telegraph.

9-RM. house. 1004 21st st., Oakland.

4TH AVE. HEIGHTS DIST.
$6500 FOR QUICK SALE

6-room cement bungalow; 2 years old; h.w. floors; 3 bedrooms, tile bath, shower, furnace, built-in features, ce- ment basement, inst. water heater; house on Park boulevard; $1000 down; $50 mon.; absolutely $1500 below mar- ket value. Lewis and Mitchell, Inc. Lakeside 850. 438 15th st. Ask for Mr. Gould.

1½-STORY 6-room bungalow, best neighborhood, modern, driveway. $4250, terms. 916 E. 21st st., near 10th ave. Phone Lake. [illegible]

$4000, $1500 CASH—$35 per month, 2- flat house; 5 rms. down, 4 rms. and alcove up; driveway and garage; 35th st., bet. Grove and Telegraph; central; $1000 mortgage can re- main. Call 1-6 p. m., Frank M. Wills, 3503 Grove st., Oakland. Not open on Sundays.

$1350—$500 cash, $20 per mo.; 6% in- terest; 4-rm. rustic cottage; linen room, bath; high basement; 2-rm. house in rear; mortgage $170, can remain. 1656 32d st., bet. Etta and Beach sts. Frank M. Wills, 3503 Grove st., Oakland. Not open on Sundays.

4-ROOM and screen kitchen, high basement; close to cars and trains. Address 3232 Elmwood avenue.

2-STORY, seven-room house; nicely furnished; carpets; lot 50x115; fruit and berries, $7000; $1500 mortgage can remain, 6%. Moss ave., near Telegraph. Call 11 to 5 p. m., Frank M. Wills, 3503 Grove st., Oakland. Not open on Sunday.

$5200—$1000 CASH—2-flat house; 6 rms. down, 5 rms. up; driveway; lot 40x120; $2000 mortgage 6% can remain. 37th st. nr. Grove, Frank M. Wills, 3503 Grove st., Oakland. Not open on Sunday.

7-RM. house; lot 50x115; near S. P. trains; $3500; $500 cash. W. C. Brown, 6425 Shattuck. Pied. 1622.

$3550—$1000 CASH, $35 per mo.; 6-rm. mod. cottage, $86 ft. basement; lot 25x120; mortgage $500 can remain; 35th st., bet. Grove and Telegraph. See this at once. Call 1-6 p. m. Frank M. Wills, 3503 Grove, Oak. Not open on Sunday.

6-ROOM bungalow, completely fur- nished, in Piedmont; $6850; some terms. Room 10, 339 9th st. 6 p. m.

10-ROOM house; lot 68x140; house in fine condition, built for, cash of terms, $3600; in East Oakland. 2942 23rd ave. Phone Fruitvale 855J.

$400 buys new four-rm. bungalow, completely furnished; $30 mo. carries balance. Zoorada, 313 13th st.

$6000—$2500 CASH, balance mort- gage 7%; 2-flat house, five rooms down and large laundry; 6 rooms up with large laundry; driveway; lot 40x100 37th st., next to grove; central. See this at once. Frank M. Wills, 3503 Grove st. Not open Sundays.

$1900—ALLENDALE, 4 plastered rms. and bath, st. work done, one block J cars, stores. Owner 2816 Viola st.

6-ROOM cottage, near Key Route. Apply at premises, 5416 Dover st., Oakland. Piedmont 3206W.

$250 CASH

and $35 per mo. for 7-room house, close in; splendid investment, can be rented for $60 mo. Total price $3000.

CHAS. F. BROWN,
1707 Broadway

$300 CASH, $25 month; $2250; 5-room and bath cottage, large lot; 15th st. near Peralta st. Phone Oakland 5687. Call 1425 Franklin st.

$1500—4-RM. house, lot 75x100, East Oakland. Mer. 2251.

$3000—BEST buy in Oakland; new 5- room bungalow; lot 50 by 100 ft.; garage, inlaid linoleum, garden, 12 thoroughbred Black Minorca hens; nr. 7th st. S. P. local, S. F. cars. 2567 76th ave.

$4300 FOR 8-rm. house, painted, pa- pered; lot 50x130; fruit, berries. 1433 11th ave.

$5000—5-room cottage furnished; will sell unfurn.; lot 45x105, close to Key and S

INDUSTRIAL—SHIPPING—FINANCE

FAIR ADVANCES CLOSE YEAR ON STOCK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The final session of the year on the stock exchange began with a firm to strong tone, many of the leading issues showing substantial advances. Pittsburgh features included Northern Pacific, St. Paul pref., Atlantic Gulf, Baldwin Locomotive, American Tobacco and Endicott-Johnson, in which gains ranged from 1 to 12½ points. Atlantic Gulf was once more the most conspicuous exception, opening at a fractional loss which soon was increased to four points, or a new low record at 7½. Among the early dealings were a few "cash" transactions, these evidently being made to establish income tax payments for the expiring year.

Oils, equipment, motors, motors, tobacco, textiles and leathers became increasingly active and strong during the morning. Mexican and Central American properties, Texas Pacific, N. Y. Air Brake, Baldwin, Kelly-Springfield, Pierce-Arrow, Goodrich, Anaconda, American Smelting, American Tobacco, Telegraph Products, American Woolen, Central Leather and Leather, preferred registered, ov... gains of 2 to almost 5 points were made generally, however, the rise among investment and speculative issues holding within 1 to 2 point limits. Atlantic Gulf made up the greater part of its loss and Vanadium was strongest of the independent stocks. Call money opened and renewed into next week at 7 per cent and exchange on London at ... firm.

The market moved confidently forward during the noon hour to the complete... of its objectives. Shipping, oils, steels, equipments and papers continued to lead, rails also making further improvements. Outstanding features embraced American International, Mexican Petroleum, Crucible, Baldwin and St. Paul, preferred.

Leaders reacted 1 to 3 points in the last hour, when Reading developed moderate heaviness, but extensive short covering continued. The closing was easy. Sales approximated 1,100,000 shares.

LIBERTY BOND PRICES

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Liberty closed: 3½s, $94; first 4s, $95; second 4s, $94.80 bid; first 4¼s, $81.70; second 4¼s, $88.10; third 4¼s, $87.88; fourth 4¼s $86.20; victory 4¾s, $96; victory 4½s, $96.

LOCAL PRODUCE

FRUITS

...—Golden, 20@21c; Fard, 33c a ...

...—Fancy Washington Navels, ... a box; choice, $3@$3.50. ...Fancy, $3.50@4; others $3 ... a box.

...—Sunkist, $2.75@3.25; ... according to size.

...—$4 a box.

...—Hofferns, fancy, 4-tier, ...75; Newtown Pippins, ...; Jonathans, $2@2.25; Ben ...; Winter Pearmains, $2 ...

...nas—Central America, 9@9½c.

VEGETABLES

...Lima — River, $2.15@2.25 sack; Sunnyside Burbanks, $2.25@2.35 a hundred.

Sweet Potatoes—4½c a lb.

Onions — River Buckskins, $1.15@1.40; River Yellow, $1@1.25; San Leandro, green, $1@1.25 a box.

Garlic—8@10c.

Leeks—40c a dozen bunches.

Lettuce—Los Angeles, $1.25@1.50.

Celery — Sacramento, $2.50@2.75 crate; local, 40@75 a bunch.

Peas—Los Angeles, 15@16c lb.

Beans—Los Angeles, green, 20@22c; wax, 13@15c.

Artichokes—75c@$1.25 a dozen, according to size.

Cucumbers—Los Angeles, $2.50 lugs; Santa Cruz hothouse, $4 a box.

Tomatoes—Los Angeles, $1.50@1.75 4-basket crate; small lugs, $1.50@2.25.

...—4@5c a lb.

...—Los Angeles, $1.75 a box; ... a dozen bunches. ...$1@1.25 lug; ... dozen; 2@ ...

...$1.50 a dozen.

...50 a sack; 40c a ...

...10c a dozen bunches.

...$2@2.25 a sack; 40@60c

...ssels Sprouts—9@10c lb.

...ushrooms—15@20c a lb.

...Peppers—Los Angeles, Bell, 10@12c; Chili, 10@12c lb.

Egg Plant—Livingston, 10c a lb.

POULTRY AND GAME

Prices on Oakland market:

Broilers, 15@18 lbs. to the dozen, 45@50c; fryers, 21@30 lbs. to the dozen, 42@45c.

Young roosters, 3@5 lbs. each, 22@23c; young roosters, stuggy, 20@23c.

Large colored hens, 22c; medium colored hens, 21@22c; Leghorn hens, large, 22@23c; Leghorn hens, small, 20@21c.

Turkeys, alive, No. 1, 48@50c; dressed, 55@60c; poor and thin stock, less.

Pekin ducks, fat, 24@25c; do colored, fat, 23@30c.

Geese, young, 30@35c; old, 28@30c.

Belgian hares, young, 20@25c; do old, 18@20c.

Jackrabbits, No. 1, $2.50 a dozen.

BUTTER-EGGS CHEESE

Prices quoted below are selling prices from the dealer to the retailer [illegible] daily by the Pacific Coast Dairy Products Exchange, San Francisco.

BUTTER—

Grades—	Dec. 30	Dec. 31
Extra creamery	56	56
Prime firsts	55	55
Firsts	54	54
EGGS—		
Extras	70	70
Firsts	68	68
Ordinaries	65	65
Storage	58	58
CHEESE—		
California flats		23
California twins		23
Eastern fancy		26
Eastern flats		26

Cheese—Oregon, Oregon twins, California flats, fancy, 23c; California twins, fancy, 23c; young America, fancy, 24c; Oregon twins, fancy, 24c; Oregon flats, fancy, 24c; Oregon twins, fancy, 24c; Oregon twins, 24c; Oregon flats, 24c; Oregon twins, 24c; Oregon flats, 24c; Oregon twins, 24c; Oregon flats

$3,000 ASKED TO ERECT NEW CITY BUILDINGS

Fire Houses and Comfort Stations On Commissioners' Construction List.

A complete report on the condition of all municipal properties, with recommendations for repairs and renewals, and the cost thereof, has been compiled for the City Council by Commissioner Soderberg of the Board of Public Works.

For new buildings, the Commissioner recommends new homes for Engine 5, at $20,000, and for Engine 13, at $15,000; also a public convenience station at Fourteenth and Broadway, costing $35,000, and one at Lake Merritt, $20,000. The total for suggested new buildings is $90-000.

The building of the firehouses is called an "urgent need." The building now in use by Engine 5 was constructed in 1888 for horsedrawn vehicles at Market and Milton streets, and is in a very bad condition. As for engine 13, at Thirty-third avenue, this structure is frail and was never intended for a fire house.

The council's attention is called to the "urgent necessity" of building comfort stations.

"Nearly all cities," says Soderberg, "have provided buildings of this character for the general public."

CITY HALL REPAIRS

As for the city hall, the commissioner finds the following conditions calling for repairs: The exterior wood fittings, such as window-sashes, need repainting. The walls and ceilings on the east and south sides of the building need repainting. The imitation stone plaster finish in the main entrance lobby needs repairing in spots.

It is recommended that an unnecessary stairway be eliminated between the fifth and sixth floors to allow room for a fireproof record room for all public records. This would cost about $5200.

The auditorium will require considerable attention, says the commissioner, explaining

"This building will require considerable attention. Its present condition is deplorable, due to the lack of sufficient funds in the past to make the necessary repairs and alterations and correct some errors in the original construction.

AUDITORIUM LEAKS

"The roof of this building, particularly the skylight and ornamental iron cresting, has leaked badly since the completion of the building, due to faulty construction, and has caused considerable damage to the interior of the building and to various exhibits on display at different times by lessees. However, the necessary funds have now been provided to care for the existing troubles, and this matter is now receiving attention.

"The demand for the use of the various portions of the building is constantly growing, and the building should be brought up to proper standard without delay."

The repairs suggested, with their costs follow:

Re-sanding and treating the maple-wood floor of the arena, $500; plastering pieces of wall scratched by furniture and flooring the unfinished basement to the building under the arena, $2450. This includes the cost of running an elevator shaft to gain access to the cellar.

Painting the exterior metal and woodwork, $600; mending of plaster in vestibules, $600; correcting cracks in mosaic floor tiling, $393.

SKYLIGHT WANTED

The commissioner also recommends a glazed skylight to give light into the machine shop of the fire alarm building at Thirteenth and Oak streets at a cost of $600.

The municipal woodyard is asserted to be in good condition

Miscellaneous carpentry and the plumbing for the northern and eastern police stations is suggested, at about $300.

The police lockups at fire houses 3, 4, 6 and 7 are said to be in deplorable condition, but would require a large outlay to repair them.

Each of the fire company buildings is described at length, and outlays running from $80 to $2600 are suggested to place them in repair. The larger sum applies to Engine 19, which needs extensive repairs. The total for fire houses is estimated at $6214.79.

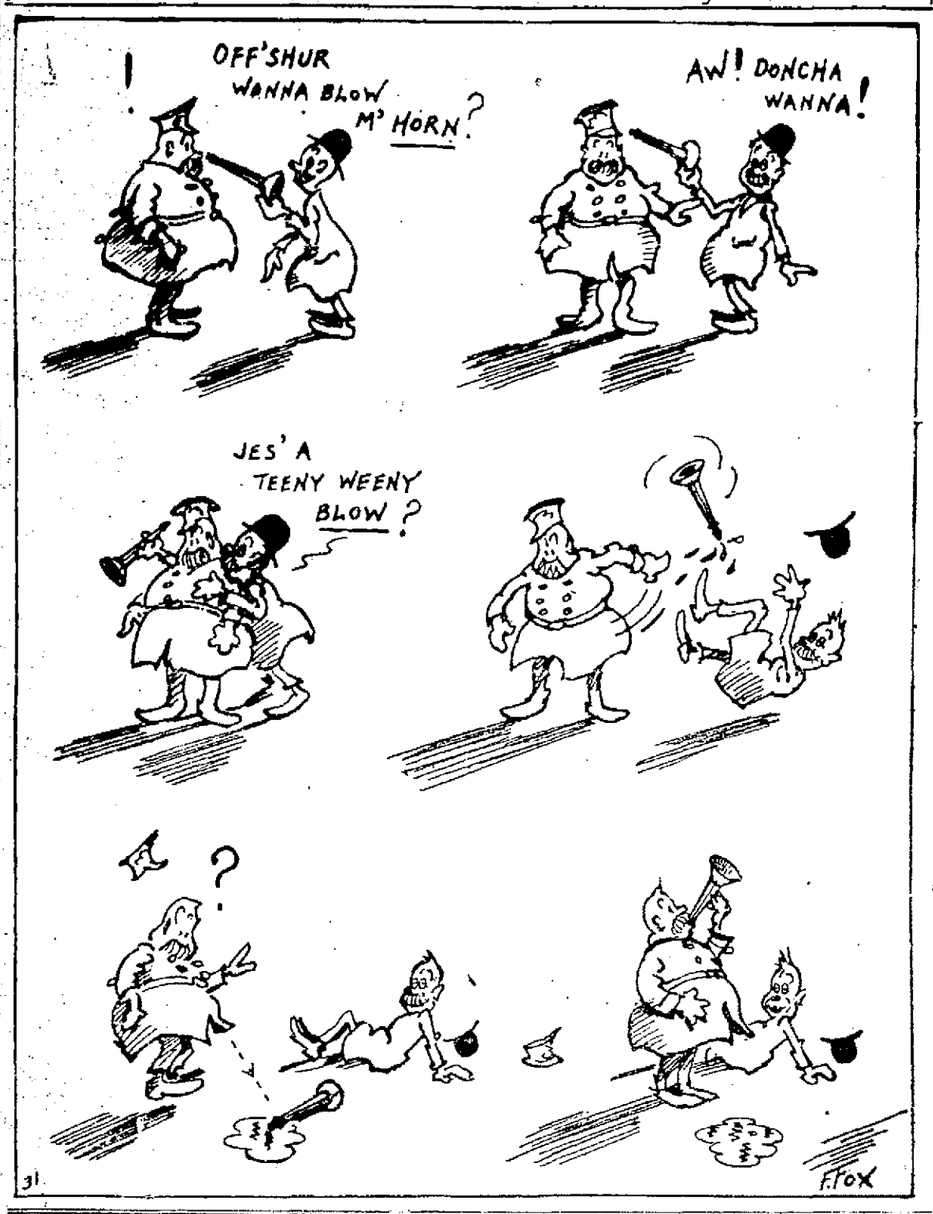
The estimated amounts for repairs and alterations for the fiscal year 1920-21 are

City Hall, $6950; Auditorium, $4593. Last year $5770 was spent on the city hall, and $2295 on the auditorium.

PASSENGER PLANE LOST.

BILBAO, Spain, Dec. 31.—A hydro-airplane engaged in passenger service between Bayonne, France, and this city, has been lost.

THE NEW YEAR'S EVE HORN -:- By Fontaine Fox



LEGION WILL AID WANDERING HERO OF PASCHENDAELLE

Neither British Nor American Government Can Help Amnesia Victim.

Neither the British government, under the flag of which he served in France, nor the American government, of which he is a subject, can give aid in any measure to Captain Albert McLeod, who, a victim of amnesia resulting from shell shock, wandered from his home in Clinton, Washington, and made his way to Oakland before he regained normal consciousness.

McLeod, a hero of Paschendaele, wounded time and again, gassed and a nervous wreck from high explosive, presents one of those unfortunate cases for which the red tape of governments cannot be loosened. There is no rule covering his case, wherefore, despite his service, he must become a public charge, and this the American Legion has determined shall not be the case.

U. S. LEGION TO HELP

The American Legion, of which McLeod is a member, yesterday laid aside all rules pertaining to such cases and announced that it would send McLeod home to his wife, who is waiting patiently for her mate to come back to her out of the valley of shadows, through which he has traveled for the third time.

W. T. Hopkins, adjutant of Oakland Post No. 5 of the Legion, took charge of McLeod yesterday and arranged for him to stay at the Oakland Emergency Hospital, where he was taken after awakening in a strange city more than a thousand miles from home, until such time as funds are raised for his transportation and until he is able to travel alone.

The relief fund of the Oakland Post is depleted, owing to the number of relief cases taken care of in the past few weeks. Hopkins announced yesterday that a number of people had offered to contribute money toward helping the unfortunate veteran and that a contribution fund had been declared open. Contributions will be received at the Legion office, 815 Syndicate building, until sufficient funds are available with which to pay McLeod's transportation back to Clinton.

McLeod left home on the morning of December 15 for town with a wagonload of potatoes. He remembers kissing his wife good-bye, and that is the last. Since that time, until he awoke in Oakland, he has traveled through a valley of shadows, of which he remembers nothing. When he awoke and learned that it was after Christmas and he was in a strange city, he sobbed out his fears for his wife, who was ill when he left home.

FEARS ARE ALLAYED

Yesterday his fears for her were soothed when he received the following wire:

"I am all right. But please hurry home as soon as possible. Don't worry about me. Wire when you leave."

The wife had been informed by night letter of her husband's condition.

Twice yesterday army doctors visited the hospital and diagnosed his case, and each time he asked them if it were not possible for him to travel, that he wanted to go home at once to his wife.

McLeod's wife was a Red Cross nurse whom he met while convalescing in a Vancouver hospital. She has nursed him through his previous attacks of shell shock. This is his third trip through the dark valley.

AMNESIA VICTIM FINDS HIMSELF WASHING DISHES

Missing Oakland Manufacturer Awakens in Sacramento Restaurant.

From vice-president of the Martins-Harbaugh Wholesale Company, 233 Davis street, San Francisco, to washing dishes in Sacramento, was the rapid descent of Charles Q. Harbaugh, food manufacturer and Spanish war veteran, declared to be a victime of amnesia, who mysteriously disappeared from his home, 601 Thirty-third street, on December 14.

He regained his personality while washing dishes in Sacramento and walked to the police station in a dazed condition and stupor and asked help in determining his identity. He did not know his name. After much effort Harbaugh wrote on a card enough to identify himself. He was unable to talk. He wrote himself down as vice-president of the Martins-Harbaugh Wholesale Company, San Francisco.

SEARCH FUTILE

Police here on December 15 were asked by Mrs. Harbaugh to search for her husband. She said he had left home the day before to go to San Francisco to meet George Cox, a business associate. He had $50 in his possession. Mrs. Harbaugh was nearly prostrated. She feared that her husband had met with serious accident after he failed to return home and she learned that the appointment had not been kept. He appeared to be in good health at the time of his disappearance, Mrs. Harbaugh told the police.

Last night he walked into the Sacramento police station and said that he found himself washing dishes. Upon examination of his clothing a card was found in his trousers pocket which read: "C. Q. Harbaugh, March, 1919. Sam Bernstein, 160 Sutter street, San Francisco."

It was several hours before he could get any meaning from the card, and at last he wrote, "Charles Harbaugh." He told officers that he realized something was wrong yesterday when he found that he was washing dishes. He knew that dishwashing was not his real occupation, but did not know who he was.

WOUNDED IN WAR

The police took him in charge, furnished medical attention and notified his wife. Mrs. Harbaugh, with other members of the family, left today for Sacramento. His case was diagnosed as one of amnesia, followed by aphasia.

Harbaugh was wounded in a battle of the Spanish-American war and wore a silver plate on his right leg. He came to Oakland from Manila several years ago, according to his family. He had been engaged in the vegetable oil industry.

Worry over the death of a son had caused a similar attack five years ago while he was in the Philippines, they said.

Abe Martin

Mrs. Lafe Bud went t' a party yisterday afternon an' met some nice people an' learned a few new drinks. Mrs. Tilford Moots poisoned her family this mornin' when she mistook th' pencil sharpener fer th' coffee mill.

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S. P. IS REMINDED OF REPAIR NEEDED

An aggressive letter reminding the Southern Pacific Company of the condition of the street paving along some portions of its right of way was sent this morning by Commissioner Edwards to Superintendent T. F. Rowlands.

The letter mainly refers to the crossing at Kennedy street, of which Edwards says:

"I had hoped that perhaps your company would endeavor to meet the city half way or at least show some inclination to make the necessary repairs. To me it appears that a corporation of the size and responsibility of the Southern Pacific Company should take some pride in the maintenance of its plant, and I would certainly be pleased to know just what is necessary to induce your company to make these repairs.

"Perhaps if you would supply your pavement engineer with an automobile and instruct him to visit the various crosings in this city he would learn to appreciate the inconvenience suffered by the traveling public in attempting to use these crossings."

Edwards also points out the crossings of the tracks on East Fourteenth, alleged to be "very rough," and intimated that perhaps the company is "callous to the inconvenience suffered by the public."

The letter ends with a request for co-operation.

LINOTYPE RECORD

SUMTER, S. C., Dec. 30.—P. Frank Haddon, linotype operator on the Sumter Item, made what is believed here to be a world's record in setting type on a linotype machine. In six hours he set 69,256 "ems," using a seven-point on eight-point slug and a 13 "em" measure.

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Open Evenings

Truthful Advertising Now Business' Greatest Salesman

That advertising is today recognized as the force in business that assists in the distribution and sale of the world's commodities, and that during 1920 the sum of $1,400,000,000 was spent on advertising alone to make known to the people the merits of merchandise, was the declaration of Roland C. Ayres, advertising manager of the Zellerbach Paper Company, who spoke before the Mutual Business Men's club at its luncheon at the Hotel Oakland yesterday.

"Fully 95 percent of this advertising is truthful and honest, but the questionable 5 percent weakens the pulling power of all advertising by casting doubt on the printed word," declared Ayres. "There is being carried on today throughout this nation a Truth-in-Advertising movement to maintain and increase the readers' confidence and protect legitimate business."

Ayres told in detail the work being done by the Associated Advertising Clubs through their National Vigilance Committee and the local Better Business Bureaus, and cited some interesting cases of swindling advertisers who were convicted of fraud in using untruthful and flamboyant advertising. He explained why the Associated Advertising Clubs could do for business what business could not do for itself as the association, having no goods to sell could not be charged with being tarred with the stick of competition.

SALES METHODS CHANGE

"Some merchants brook no interference with their advertising, even though it be decidedly untrustworthy and actually fraudulent. They think they can run their business to suit themselves. In this day and age, no man in business can consider himself an independent unit unto himself. In the old days when goods were sold only by the human salesman it was considered a merchant's sole right to let his salesman make any kind of a representation in order to get the business. Good-will building was not the objective and its tremendous value was not appreciated. Today goods are mostly sold through advertising, and advertising is a common salesman that belongs to all business. No merchant, therefore, should be allowed to weaken the effectiveness of this modern salesman. Advertising, the salesman in print, must be protected. It is therefore our purpose to educate those few men in business who do not know of this interpretation of advertising.

"The modern interpretation of advertising is a message announcing a service to be rendered. It is not what you buy, but what you get out of an article or a service which you pay for, that counts. The buyer must be brought to the point of believing that the merchandise or service advertised will be equal to or exceed the value of his money. That is the basic reason for a business transaction. Not only must the buyer believe he is going to get his money's worth, but upon the exchange of coin for goods it must be a fact.

SUSPICIONS AROUSED

"If advertising is untruthful, fraudulent or misleading, it violates this principle and naturally people who have been defrauded through responding to the printed message are suspicious thereafter of all advertising. And advertising can only be continually profitable to the advertiser when the public believes in the message, acts on it and thenceforth trades with that particular merchant.

"Most advertisers are honest, and if there is an occasional departure from the truth it is generally unintentional and the merchant makes an honest effort not to have the offense repeated. But there are a limited few who are continuously trying to put something over—to offer something that does not measure up to the value of the money asked.

"The store whose policy is honest merchandising and truthful advertising grows larger and larger as more people become acquainted with its methods. They consider it a safe place in which to buy. As we clean up advertising and correct unfair practices in a city, people begin to have more faith in that community as a trading center. It is not an impossibility to bring about a situation whereby a community could rightfully employ the slogan 'The City of the Square Deal.'"

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WISHING YOU

—expressing our appreciation of your patronage in

—1920

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—1921

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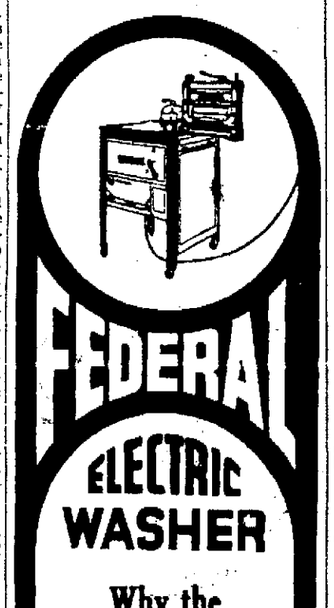

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Therefore, you will have, next week, a wo derful opportunity to get a used car for a sm amount of money.

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